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## LITTLE HOPE OF SETTLEMENT

## DELEGATES DESPAIR OF AFRICA PEACE

## BRITAIN WILL GUARD HER INTERESTS

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Geneva, July 30.

Delegates are arriving here to-day prepared to make a despairing effort, when the League of Nations Council meets to-morrow, to avert a war between Italy and Abyssinia.

It is reliably reported that Mr. Anthony Eden, the British Minister for League of Nations Affairs and Britain's chief delegate to the Council, has prepared a demand that Italy promise to make no attack upon Abyssinia while negotiations are proceeding.

It is considered significant that the delegates' main hope is the postponing of the collapse of negotiations rather than the solving of the problem.

A United Press staff correspondent, Edward Beattie, en route to Addis Ababa, arrived in Djibouti, French Somaliland, to-day. He found the French troops there unloading artillery and barbed wire from trains which also brought fighting men to the city.

"In the event of continued European reverses in Africa the native tribes might get the idea of attacking the whites everywhere," said a French official. That was the reason for the precautions at Djibouti.

It is reliably stated that during the past African campaign, the Italian Government has sent 179 ships through the Suez Canal carrying 179,000 troops, civilians and war supplies.

United Press.

PROTECTING INTERESTS

Paris, July 30. Semi-official Egyptian sources state that the British Government is prepared to send troops into Abyssinia to protect British interests and British nationals there, and particularly the Lake Tsana region, in the event of an Italian offensive.

The Lake is the headwaters of the Blue Nile and is vital to the irrigation of the Sudan.

United Press.

NEAR AGREEMENT

Paris, July 30. As a result of what is described as "a distinctly useful" hour's talk between Mr. Anthony Eden and M. Pierre Laval, in which they discussed all sides and angles of the Abyssinian dispute, it is learned that the Anglo-French standpoints are much nearer than they were three weeks ago.

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COLIJN STILL AT HELM

## REFORMS HOLLAND'S CABINET

The Hague, July 30. Dr. Colijn, who recently resigned the Premiership, has succeeded in forming a new Cabinet on a broad basis, as requested by Queen Wilhelmina.

The Cabinet includes new Ministers belonging to the Catholic and Liberal Democratic Parties. The Catholic Parliamentary group has decided to support the new Government.

It is expected that the Lower House will be asked to reconsider the Economic Bill, which led to the downfall of the last Government.

Later, the new Cabinet comprises Dr. Colijn, who is Minister for Colonies and temporarily, Minister of Defence; Mr. A. C. de Graaf, Foreign Minister; Dr. E. J. H. van Schaik, Minister of Justice; Dr. J. A. de Wilde, Minister of the Interior; Dr. P. J. Oud, Minister of Finance; Dr. H. N. Dekkers, Minister of Agriculture; all of whom were members of the last Cabinet. The new Ministers are: Dr. J. B. van der Schueren, Minister of Colonies; Dr. J. B. van der Schueren, Minister of Colonies; Dr. J. B. van der Schueren, Minister of Colonies.

## BRITISH OFFICERS VOLUNTEER

## WILL FIGHT FOR ABYSSINIA

## ORGANISE AT CAPETOWN

Capetown, July 30.

The Emperor of Abyssinia has cabled asking for the urgent despatch of the British white men who are being recruited here as officers for the Abyssinian Army. Arrangements have been made to equip and rush the enlisted officers by air to Addis Ababa at an estimated cost of £200 per man.

Meanwhile a last effort seems to be being made to win Abyssinia away from her determination to defend her independence. A proposal has been made in Addis Ababa to the Emperor, from undisclosed sources, suggesting a League mandate in Abyssinia, without political powers, but special economic concessions for Italy on the understanding that Abyssinia will be safeguarded from foreign aggression.

The Emperor merely acknowledged the proposal. But he told an interviewer that he did not object to the principle of European influence, provided it remained purely economic. Abyssinians preferred to prosper under European guidance than to remain poor with complete independence.

The proposal to establish a League mandate in Abyssinia is supported by Sir Hesketh Bell, the British expert on colonial constitutions. In a letter to the Times he suggests that the League of Nations should declare a provisional mandate in Abyssinia under which the legitimate complaints and rights of Italy should be satisfied.

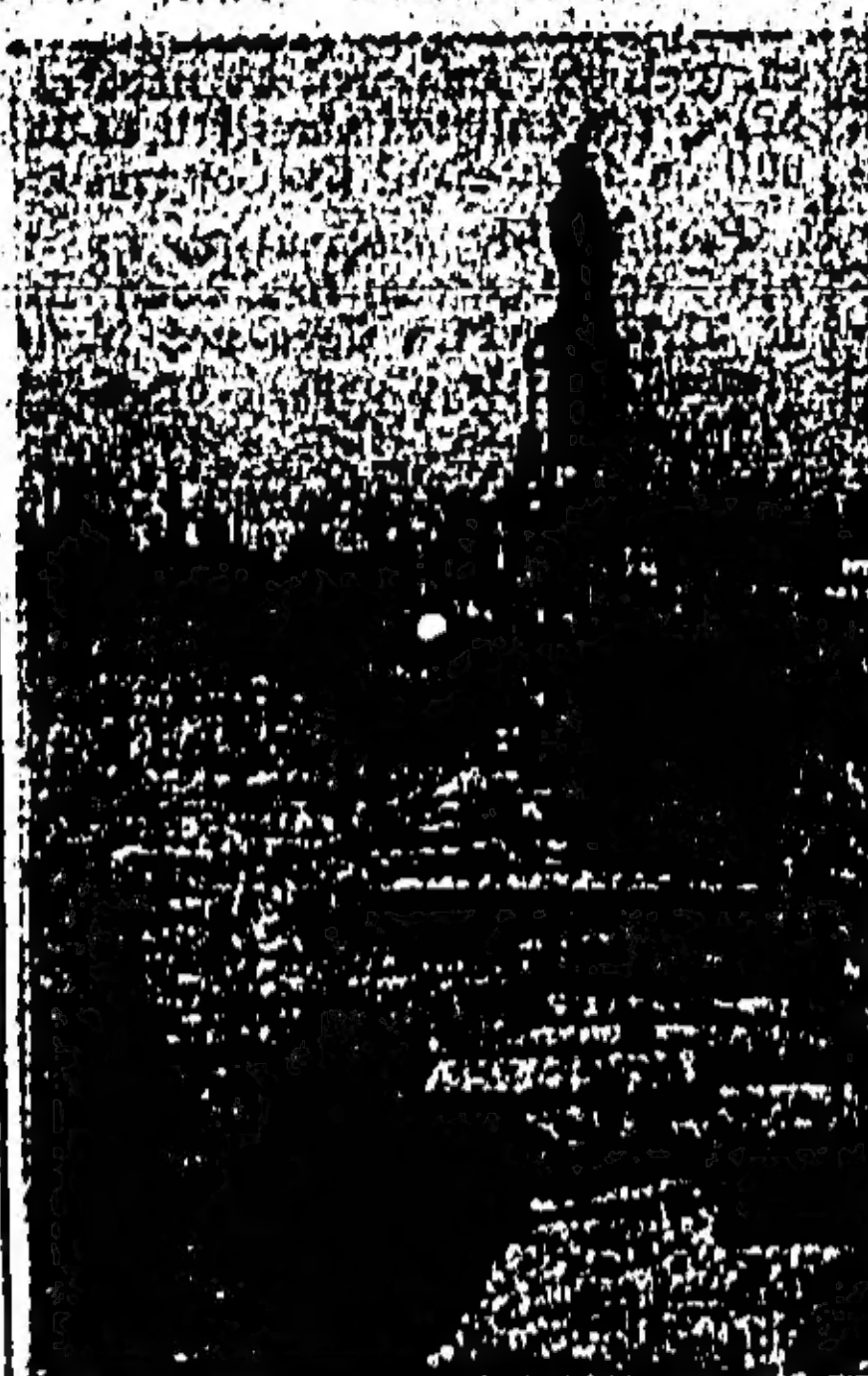
WANT NO MANDATE

(Special to "Telegraph")

Rome, July 30. The Fascist Polverelli, in an article in the semi-official Popolo d'Italia, suggests that Abyssinia should fulfil a role similar to Egypt's, which would be an honour for her, as Egypt is a land ancient in civilisation while Abyssinia is ancient in barbarism.

Questioned regarding the protectorate scheme advanced by some quarters, Italian officials do not consider that League of Nations control in Abyssinia would settle the problems which have arisen between that country and Italy and would not prevent their arising again.

The article points out that Signor Mussolini recently declared that a League of Nations administered by any power would be a group of powers.



The Suez Canal, where scores of Italian transports pass on their way to the Somali ports, may be closed to Italian warships in the event of war in Africa. It has been rumoured. This is the entrance to the Canal, showing the Statue of Ferdinand de Lesseps, the French engineer, who built the waterway.

## Grumbling Colonists Are Warned

## STERN MEASURES IN ERITREA

(Special to "Telegraph")

Rome, July 30. A vigorous attack against "haters" and "people who spread lies" was made to-day by General Graziani, commander-in-chief of the Italian land forces in Africa. An order has been issued and spread throughout Eritrea and Italian Somaliland, and threatens immediate repatriation to all who complain against the colonial regime.

Meanwhile the High Commissioner of Eritrea, Signor De Bono, has established a special tribunal in Eritrea, and has issued a statement declaring that there is no question of an Italian occupation of African territory in order to take the land from the natives. Italians were being sent to develop the colony for the good of all.

He has instituted a lottery in which the best workers receive prizes.

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## New G.O.C. Appointed For China

## MAJOR-GENERAL A.W. BARTHOLOMEW

## SPLENDID RECORD

London, July 30. The War Office announces that Major-General Arthur Wollaston Bartholomew, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., who has been Inspector of Royal Artillery at the War Office since 1933, has been appointed General Officer Commanding the British Troops in China, in succession to Lieutenant-General O. C. Borrett. The appointment takes effect towards the end of the year.

Major-General Bartholomew, who was born on May 6, 1876, was educated at Marlborough and at Trinity College, Oxford. He entered the Royal Artillery in 1900, was promoted Captain in 1911, Major in 1914, Lieutenant-Colonel in 1927, Colonel in 1929, and Major-General in 1932.

In the Great War, he was mentioned in despatches six times, and received the C.M.G., the C.B.E., and D.S.O. decorations. He was appointed instructor of the Senior Officers' School at Sheerness in 1929-30, and commanded the Royal Artillery, Fourth Division, from 1930 to 1933. He was appointed an A.D.C. to the King in 1931.

Major-General Bartholomew married in 1906 Helen Mary, daughter of the late General Sir A. Anderson. They have three children.

## European Lost Off Ferryboat

## FRUITLESS SEARCH IN HARBOUR

## ELUDES WOULD-BE RESCUERS

A distressing tragedy occurred in the harbour shortly after midnight, when Mr. Dave Wolff, of the Gloucester Hotel orchestra, jumped overboard, all efforts to save him proving in vain. The body has not yet been recovered.

Mr. Wolff was a passenger on the ferry launch which left Hongkong at 12.15 a.m., and when the boat had reached the middle of the harbour he was seen to leave his seat suddenly, divest himself of his coat, climb over the railings, and leap into the harbour. A Portuguese passenger, sensing Mr. Wolff's intention, made efforts to drag him back, but these were without avail.

## FRUITLESS EFFORTS

Immediately the incident occurred, the ferry-boat put back and searched the vicinity, and a fireman named Cheung Hung jumped in after Mr. Wolff, but on getting within six feet of him Mr. Wolff sank. Later, other ferries appeared on the scene, and, with the aid of searchlights, the search was continued, but without success.

At first, the identity of the missing man was unknown, but later it was established from the fact that in a grey striped tweed coat which he left on the ferry-boat there was found a wallet containing eight visiting cards, bearing Mr. Wolff's name, together with a receipt made out in Mr. Wolff's favour. The wallet also contained a visiting card bearing the name of Norval U. Norval, of the S.S. Breiviken.

## NATURALISED BRITON

The late Mr. David James Wolff was born in Holland, of Jewish extraction, and was a naturalised British subject. He was 39 years of age and leaves a widow and a small daughter. He was formerly in Shanghai and then went to Borneo from where he came to Hongkong three months ago. He organised the popular Gloucester Trio, being the leader. He formerly lived in Kowloon Tong and only yesterday moved to a new residence in Hankow Road.

When seeing a Telegraph reporter this morning, the Manager of the Gloucester Hotel could throw no light on the tragedy. He stated that "Mr. Wolff left a lot of things addressed to his wife in the office on the ground floor."

## STEAMERS PREPARED FOR GALE

## TYPHOON ALARMS IN COLONY

## SHIPS QUIT DOCKS

Early risers this morning were surprised to see the N.Y.K. liner Chichibu Maru steaming up the harbour. The ship was scheduled to leave Hongkong for America at midnight.

Actually the Chichibu Maru spent the night in Kowloon Bay, leaving Kowloon Wharf at 6 p.m. yesterday.

This morning Captain Y. Arakida stated that he would have preferred to leave Hongkong altogether yesterday evening and meet the possible typhoon in the open sea, or more probably go round it. It was impossible to get the passengers aboard in such short notice, however, and he was forced to return. This morning the ship berthed again at Kowloon as it was considered too inconvenient to take on many passengers down to a Kowloon wharf in launches. She sailed at noon to-day.

There will be no delay in the ship's schedule, caused by the typhoon, it is stated, and the ship will arrive at Yokohama on August 1st.



Picture shows gold from Paris being unloaded from a plane at the Croydon aerodrome during the recent French financial crisis.

## Continued Help For Industry

## SUBSIDY FOR BEET SUGAR PRODUCER

## PARLEY WITH DOMINIONS?

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, July 30. The Government has decided to continue to assist the beet sugar industry for an unlimited period.

This announcement was made by Mr. Walter Elliot, Minister for Agriculture, in the House of Commons to-day. Lord De la Warr made a similar announcement in the House of Lords during the afternoon.

Production will be limited to 550,000 tons of white sugar which it is estimated the 1936 crop will produce.

An independent sugar commission will be appointed to execute the Government policy. Beet sugar factories will be amalgamated into a single corporation before April of 1936.

Assistance will be given the industry on a diminishing scale, based upon the world's price of sugar.

Meanwhile the Government proposes to invite the Governments of the sugar exporting dominions and colonies to examine the possibility of joint endeavour to reopen the international negotiations with respect to sugar production and marketing.

## LIMITS SET

London, July 30. In the House of Commons to-day, the Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Walter Elliot, announced the decision of the Government as to the future of the sugar beet industry. The Government had concluded it was desirable, on agricultural grounds, to continue to assist the industry without any limitation of period, but it was necessary to set a limit to the volume of directly-assisted production. The limit would be the equivalent of 550,000 tons of white sugar—the estimated production of 1935.

An independent Sugar Commission would be entrusted with such powers in relation to the sugar beet industry as might be necessary for the carrying out of the Government's policy. It has been decided to adopt the recommendations of the Committee of Enquiry that the beet sugar factory companies should be amalgamated in a single corporation.

## FINANCIAL ASPECT

The financial arrangements proposed were based on the assumption that as from April 1, 1936, there would be a transitional period of not more than five years. During this period, assistance would be given upon a diminishing scale, based upon certain standard levels for the world price of sugar. Subsequently the basic rate of assistance would be subject to revision.

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## BRITAIN MINING HER PETROL

## BIRTH OF PROMISING INDUSTRY

## ALREADY GIVES WORK TO THOUSANDS

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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London, July 30.

Seven and a half million gallons of petrol has been manufactured from British coal by the Imperial Chemical Industries since its hydro-genation plant was put into operation on February 2.

This was the information given to the House of Commons to-day by the Secretary of Mines, Capt. H.F.C. Crookshank.

He was replying to a question as to the success of the Imperial Chemical Industries' experiments in the production of petrol from coal.

Delivery to distributors had commenced on April 9, said the Minister, and 6,000,000 gallons had already been marketed.

The petrol is of the first grade of quality and requires no further blending or treatment of any sort and it is anticipated that operations on a full-scale, which will produce 45,000,000 gallons annually, will be attained within a few months, he said.

The new industry will employ about 2,000 miners and another 1,000 men in the plants, besides many others in the secondary industries.

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## FURTHER DETAILS

London, July 30. The Secretary for Mines, Captain Crookshank, in a Parliamentary answer, furnished an interesting statement by Imperial Chemical Industries, Ltd., showing the progress which has been made in the extraction of oil from coal at its Billingham works. Production began on February 7 this year and since that date a total quantity of seven and a half million gallons of petrol has been manufactured. Delivered to distributors commenced in April, and six million gallons have been marketed to date.

The petrol is taken over by the oil companies to specification of their first grade marketed spirit, and needs no further blending or treatment. The coal required when the plant is in full operation will, including that required for the treatment of cokes and low temperature tar, amount to well over half a million tons, representing employment for about 1,950 miners. The number of persons now employed on the plant is about a thousand, and employment in secondary industries will be found for a considerable number of people.

British Wireless.

## PROSPERITY TAXES

## AMERICA EXPECTS BIG REVENUE

(Special to "Telegraph")

Washington, July 30. The Ways and Means Committee to-day reported favourably on the "Tax the Wealthy" Bill. The Speaker of the House of Representatives to-day said that the Bill would probably be taken up on Wednesday and Thursday.

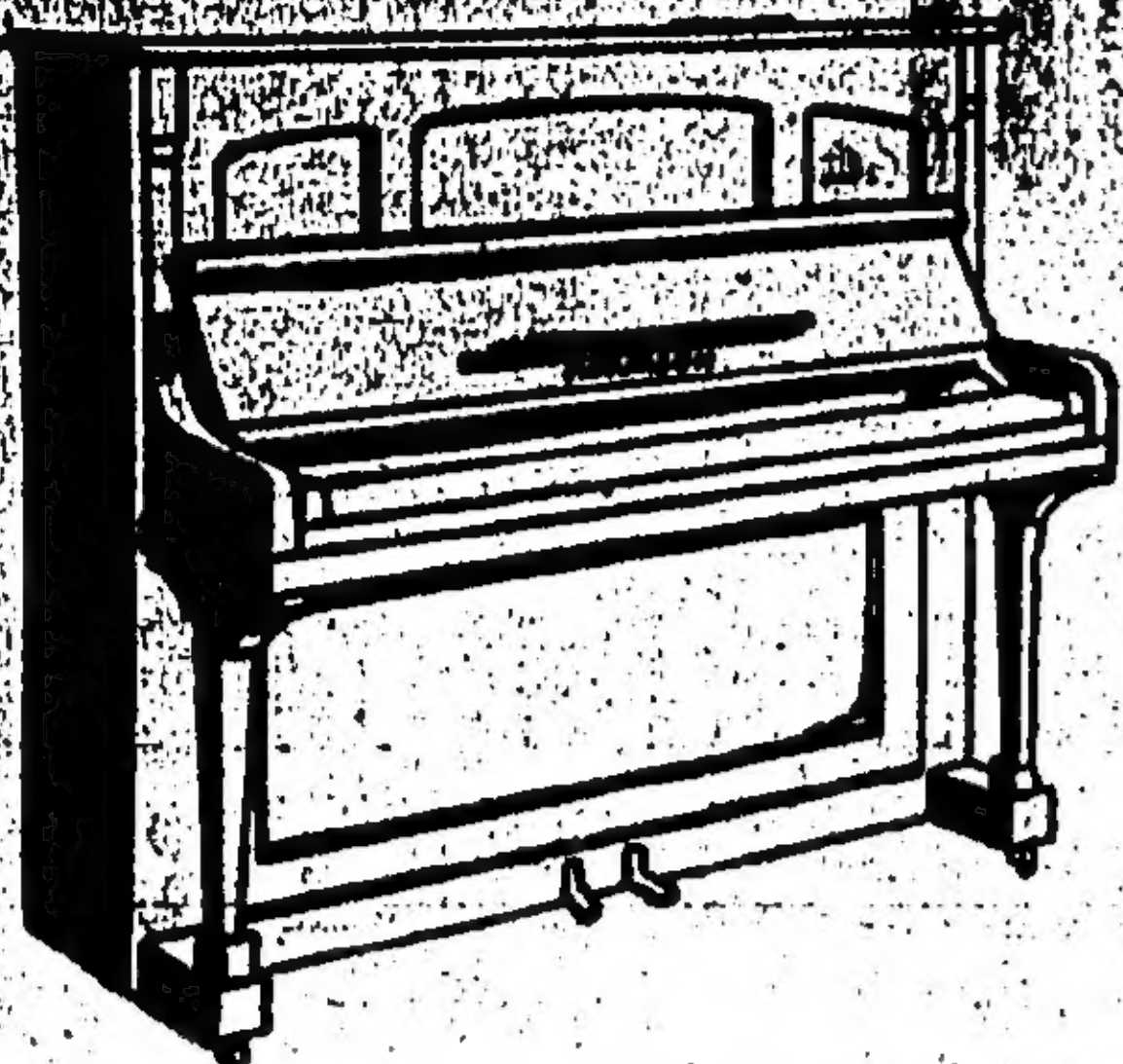
The Bill remains wide open for amendment. The House hopes to pass the Bill by next Saturday so that it will reach the White House about August 20.

The schedules of the Bill provide for the yield of \$110,000,000 from inheritance taxes; \$100,000,000 from excess profits tax; \$100,000,000 from corporate taxes; \$100,000,000 from personal income taxes; \$100,000,000 from corporations with assets above \$10,000; \$100,000,000 from corporations with assets above \$10,000; \$100,000,000 from corporations with assets above \$10,000.

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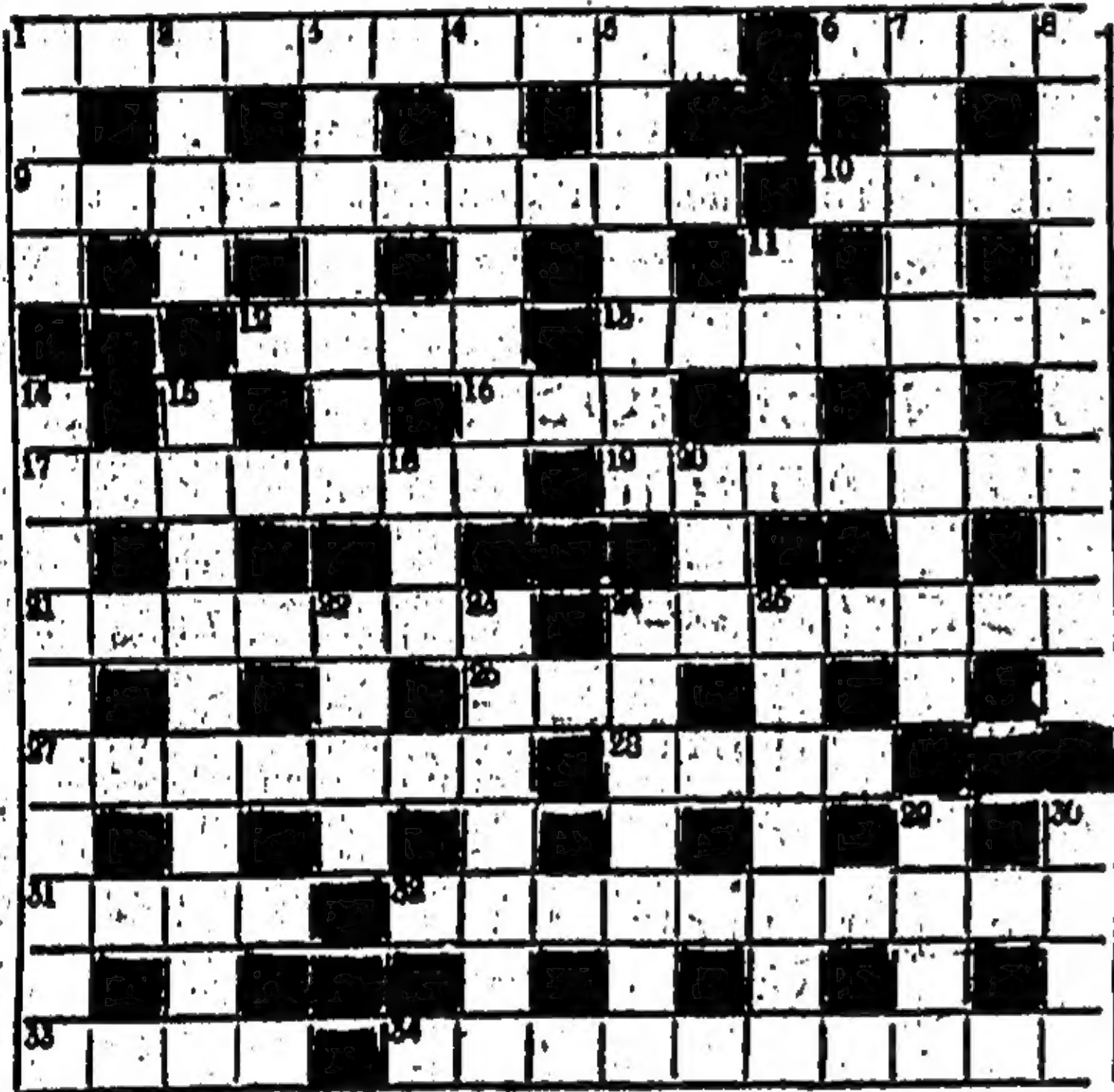
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- 6 One of Nature's weapons.
- 9 On breaking-up day, this room becomes a boat and lorry.
- 10 Knock senseless.
- 12 Caused by screw.
- 13 Both horse and foot.
- 16 Biblical character.
- 17 Did Adam try here, when searching for his lost rib?
- 18 Reincarnate. (Anagram).
- 21 Queer name for what is fast engulfing my bijou residence.
- 24 Hill cloth.
- 26 Comes in flashes.
- 27 What the world knows of its greatest men.
- 28 Cain's reincarnation?
- 31 Out the sorrow out of Melbourne and it flows abroad.
- 32 A man of wire and string who will put your name up (hyphen).
- 33 The artist requires land on the port side here.
- 34 The polite hero's colour.

#### Down

- 1 This effectually impedes progress.
- 2 Not a British clergyman.
- 3 Caustic, rather like Aunt Maud when upset.
- 4 Broken latches.
- 5 Cartier and I don't make a dependable combination.
- 7 Direct opposite.

- 8 It takes a virtue to hide Nero thus.
- 11 This pipe is not for smokers' mouths.
- 14 People who run away with the don's bridle.
- 15 Apparently "bites" glide down when food is thus.
- 19 Next to 27 across?
- 20 A motto word.
- 22 Bill's best word.
- 23 Migrate. (Anagram).
- 24 A wine.
- 25 An extract.
- 29 Palindromic emperor.
- 30 One of an Indian tribe.

#### Yesterday's Solution.

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## CATACOMBS OF PARIS

AS SHELTERS FROM AIR RAIDST

### SUGGESTIONS FOR DEFENCE

By WAVERLEY LEWIS ROOT  
United Press Staff Correspondent

Paris.  
It has been suggested that shelter from an air raid should be in a cave below the street, in the company of some hundreds of thousands of skeletons and skulls, whose presence will permit meditation on the mortality of man and the imminent possibility of joining the inmates of the cemetery if the explosions one hears dimly above prove too strong for the shelter.

The suggestion is Councillor General L'Hopital's of the department of the Seine, who has submitted a project for the conversion of the Paris catacombs into bomb-proof gasproof shelters.

The idea brings up immediately macabre thoughts of a vigil with the dead, for those parts of the catacombs visited by tourists are decorated by skeletons and arm bones in geometrical patterns, with friezes of grinning skulls above them. Steps lead from one level to another, with a skull disposed at each end of each step. Bones trace lugubrious Latin mottos on the wall. Not exactly, one would say, a cheerful ambience for persons hiding from possible sudden and unpleasant death.

#### NUCLEUS FOR SHELTERS

But not all of the catacombs of Paris are filled with skeletons, and they provide a nucleus for shelters as easily utilisable as the champagne cellars of Rheims, which served in that capacity during the last war. The catacombs were originally quarries, but after a subsidence in the Rue d'Enfer (Hall Street), so called because no one knew how deep the cavity under it was, when half a dozen houses were swallowed up in 1774, the municipality filled in and abandoned all the cuttings except those under streets.

There still remained plenty. When the cemetery of the Innocents was condemned about 1780 to make way for the growth of the city, the bones it contained were removed to the Catacombs and arranged in the neat geometrical pattern which tourists gaze at now. There were so many of them that the removal took 18 months. Between 1792 and 1814 the remains of 16 other cemeteries that disappeared before the growth of Paris also found their way to the catacombs. There also were disposed of the bodies of many of the victims of the Revolution.

The corridors to which the public are admitted cover a length of 800 yards. These, however, are not the only galleries still in repair. There are others in which mausoleums are grown, connecting directly with the catacombs in the Left Bank not far from the Seine, which extend beyond the city limits. Isolated sections of the catacombs, now unconnected with the rest by practicable galleries, abound in the quarter of the church of Saint Julien le Pauvre, below restaurants which make a specialty of serving you meals hundreds of feet below the street level.

Besides the mushroom cellars, extending to the suburbs of Montrouge, there are in the suburb of Gentilly other still practicable galleries which lead likewise all the way to the main body of the catacombs. Many galleries are still safe beyond those to which the public is admitted. Add the possibility of reopening filled in galleries, and strengthening those which are now unsafe to enter, and you have Paris provided with miles of underground shelters—enough space underground, perhaps, to

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Nothing loses its original freshness so much as a hat in linen, but the new linsens are so remarkable for their staying colours that this difficulty has been overcome, and hats in all sorts of delicate shades of linen are to the fore.

Gloves and shoes are other accessories to the smart woman's ensemble for which linen will be used this year, while bags to match have already attracted the attention of more than one designer.

## WAR ON HOPPERS

### DISCOVERY OF PARASITE

Iowa City, Iowa.

A germ war on grasshoppers was declared here by University of Iowa zoologists who announced discovery of a parasite which may end this scourge of agriculture in the Plains states.

The germ, *maphligameba locustae*, measures 5/25,000ths of an inch and killed laboratory grasshoppers within two weeks during experiments by Dr. E. H. Slinger, Dr. R. L. King and Dr. A. B. Taylor.

Harmless to crops or other insects, the parasites are to be settled on the food of grasshoppers. Then, if the germ is as effective it will destroy reproductive organs, cause lassitude and eventually death. The germs multiply under favourable conditions at a rate of more than 1,000,000 a week.

The parasite is most effective against the *M. differentialis* type of grasshopper, which has ravaged farm lands of Kansas, Nebraska, Western Iowa, and other Western states, and the common grasshopper, *M. femur-rubrum*.—United Press.

accommodate all of her 3,000,000 inhabitants.

#### ONE DRAWBACK

Councillor L'Hopital's project is for the converting of all these galleries into reinforced shelters so that Paris will be ready for attack from the air. There is only one drawback—the catacombs are confined to the Left Bank of the Seine, and the inhabitants of the Right Bank will have a long way to go for shelter.

Action will probably be taken on his plan soon, for Paris is going rapidly ahead with the passive defence preparations in which most other European cities have outstripped her. Her first passive defence exercises are expected to take place about May 15, when, under the terms of the law recently passed, all citizens will be obliged to join in this preparatory drill—which will, perhaps, send the inhabitants of the Left Bank down into the dusty corridors of the catacombs to pass half an hour face to face with the bones of their ancestors in meditation over the horrors of war.

## AMERICA'S ARMY

TO BE BROUGHT TO STRENGTH

### ENLISTMENT CAMPAIGNS

Washington, June 30.

The United States Army to-day was prepared to start enlistment campaigns intended eventually to bring the enlisted strength to 166,000 as authorized by Congress.

Permissible recruiting in the nine corps areas has been fixed at 31,700, which does not include Medical, Air Corps, or Signal Personnel.

The enlisted strength of the regular army as of March 31, 1935, latest official tabulation, was approximately 123,000. Enlistments will be only for the grade of private, and will be absorbed entirely in existing organizations.

The projected recruiting is intended merely to bring the army to the strength authorized by Congress in the War Department Appropriation Act for the fiscal year 1936, and the army at 166,000 will still be far below the strength of 280,000 authorized (but never sufficiently appropriated for) in the National Defence Act of 1920.

War Department officials pointed out that the enlisted strength of the army had dropped 118,000 and that in addition, the five-year air corps programme had not been supplied with new recruits, but had taken enlisted men from the infantry, Cavalry, and other combat branches. Many Infantry, and Cavalry companies have been undermanned.

#### ALLOTMENTS

Allotments to the various corps areas for enlistments starting July 1, and the strength of troops in those areas as of March 31, 1935, were as follows:

- First Corps Area—Allotment, 2,180; troops March 31, 4,005.
- Second Corps Area—Allotment, 3,814; strength March 31, 12,447.
- Third Corps Area—2,237; 11,490.
- Fourth Corps Area—2,966; 11,174.
- Fifth Corps Area—2,012; 3,870.
- Sixth Corps Area—1,570; 3,870.
- Seventh Corps Area—3,164; 7,140.
- Eighth Corps Area—19,640.
- Ninth Corps Area—5,268; 12,251.

The strength of the Army outside the Corps Areas on March 31 was as follows: West Point Cadets, 1,221; Hawaiian Department, 14,238; Panama Canal, 9,188; Alaska, 280; Puerto Rico, 796; Philippines Department, regular 4,880, Scouts, 5,858; China, 712; at large, 387.

#### SUMMARIES OF STRENGTH

Summaries of enlisted strength of the Army at end of first quarter 1935 revealed the Infantry as the most numerous branch, with personnel at 38,893; but not greatly larger than the combined field artillery and coast artillery which had, respectively, 14,642 and 12,412 men.

Military experts say that the growth of Artillery relative to the Infantry is an outgrowth of world war experience, when the Artillery became indispensable in preparing for and supporting the Infantry.

Growth in the Air branch is also a characteristic feature of post-war military establishments. Enlisted Cavalry strength was 7,339; Quartermaster corps, 7,571; Medical Corps, 6,625; Engineer Corps, 4,260; Ordnance Department, 2,134; Signal Corps, 2,693. Despite widespread views of the public that chemical warfare has become of outstanding importance, that service engaged only 427 men.

Acts of Congress allows the army 12,000 officers, and the actual number on March 31 was 11,817.—United Press.



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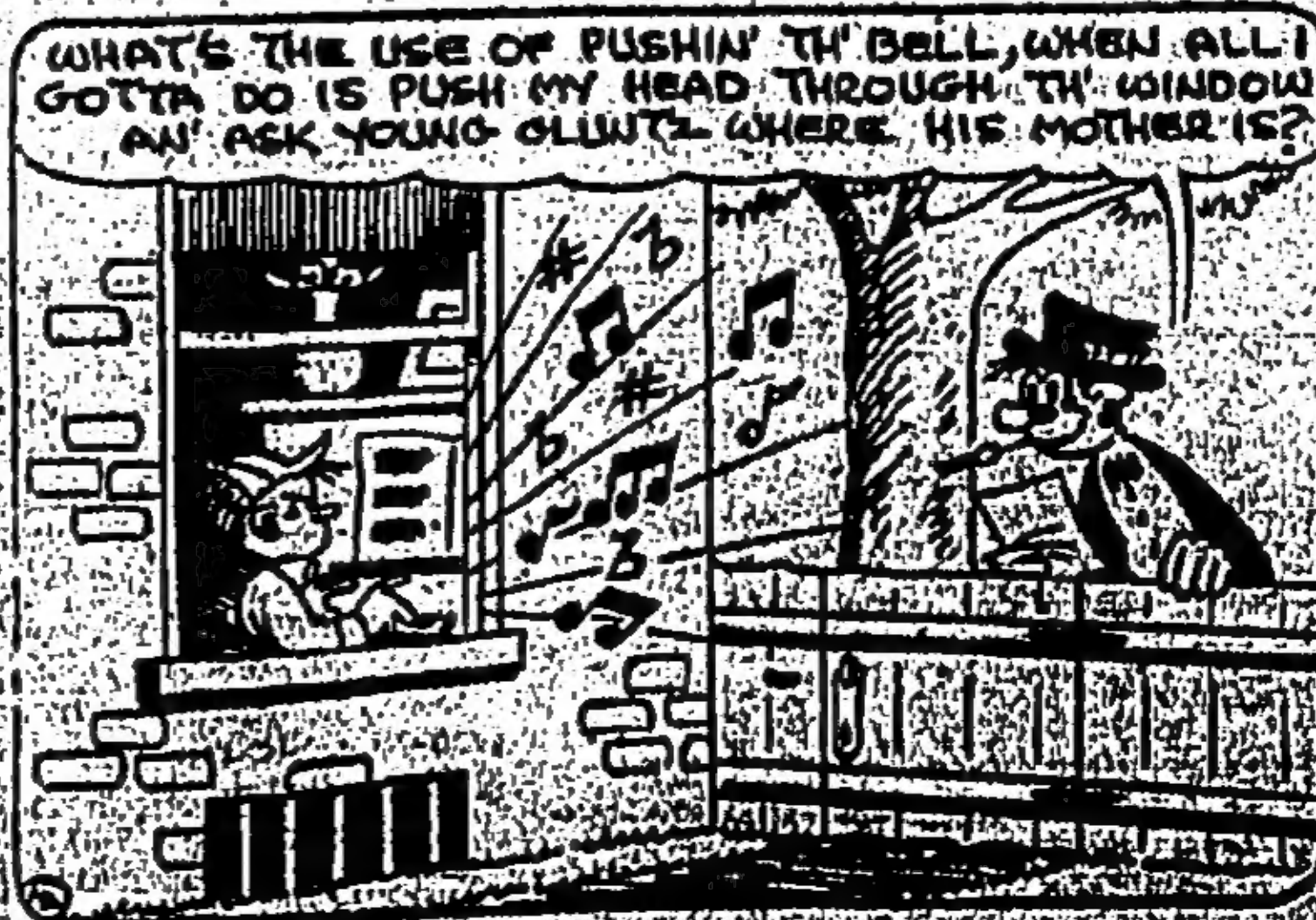
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## WORLD ANNIVERSARY

**B**erlin, July 28.—The Kaiser telegraphed King George V. "I have just received the official notification that Nicky has ordered general mobilization. He did not even wait the results of the mediation I am working at, and left me without news. I return to assure the security of my eastern frontiers where strong contingents of Russian troops are already stationed. Proclaims 'state of danger of war'."



### MOBILISATION . . . FRANCE'S ANSWER TO GERMANY'S QUERY.

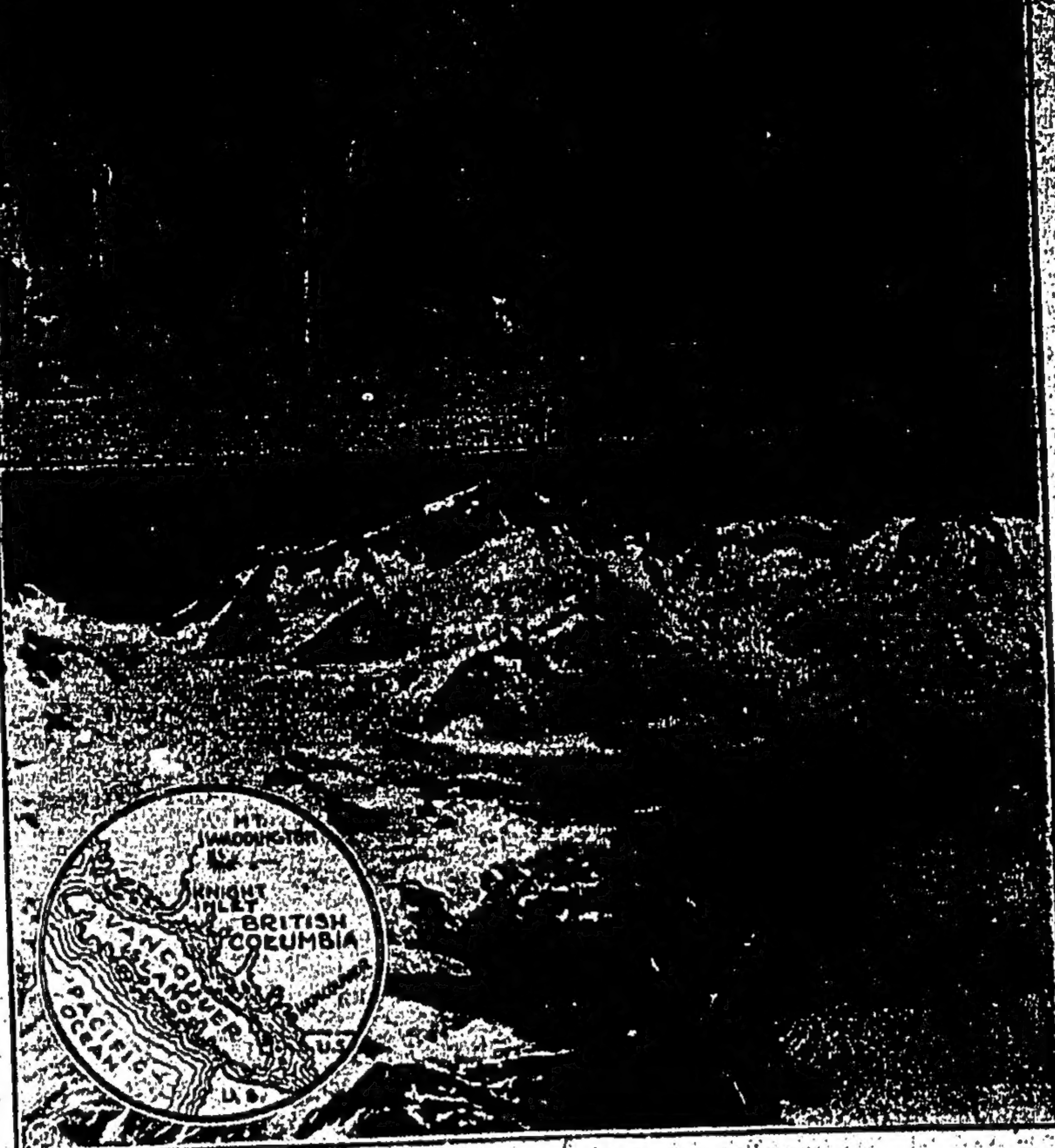
their war offices, where grimly practical measures are being taken for the great conflict to come. . . . St. Petersburg. Midnight. — Pourtales (German ambassador) to Savonov: "If within twelve hours Russia does not interrupt her mobilization, Germany will mobilize too." Savonov to Pourtales: "We will not attack as long as pourtales continue with Austria. It is impossible to demobilize without disarranging our whole military organization." Vienna.—The Austrian ministry

Paris. 11:45 a.m.—The Quai d'Orsay hears from Austria that Austria announces she has no territorial ambition against Serbia provided the war is confined between Austria and Serbia, and has no informed Russia. Philippe Berthelot: "Privately, this seems pretty late." 5 p.m. Viviani being asked by Germany if France will remain neutral, "covering" or skeletonized—mobilization is ordered. Evening. Jean Jaures, French socialist leader who has been fervently attacking the idea of war, is assassinated in a cafe in the rue du Croissant. Basil Zaharoff, armament king, is promoted Commander of the Legion of Honour.

London.—Sir Edward Grey formally asks France and Germany if they will respect the neutrality of Belgium. France formally answers "Yes." Germany gives an evasive answer, saying that a response would disclose the German plan of campaign.

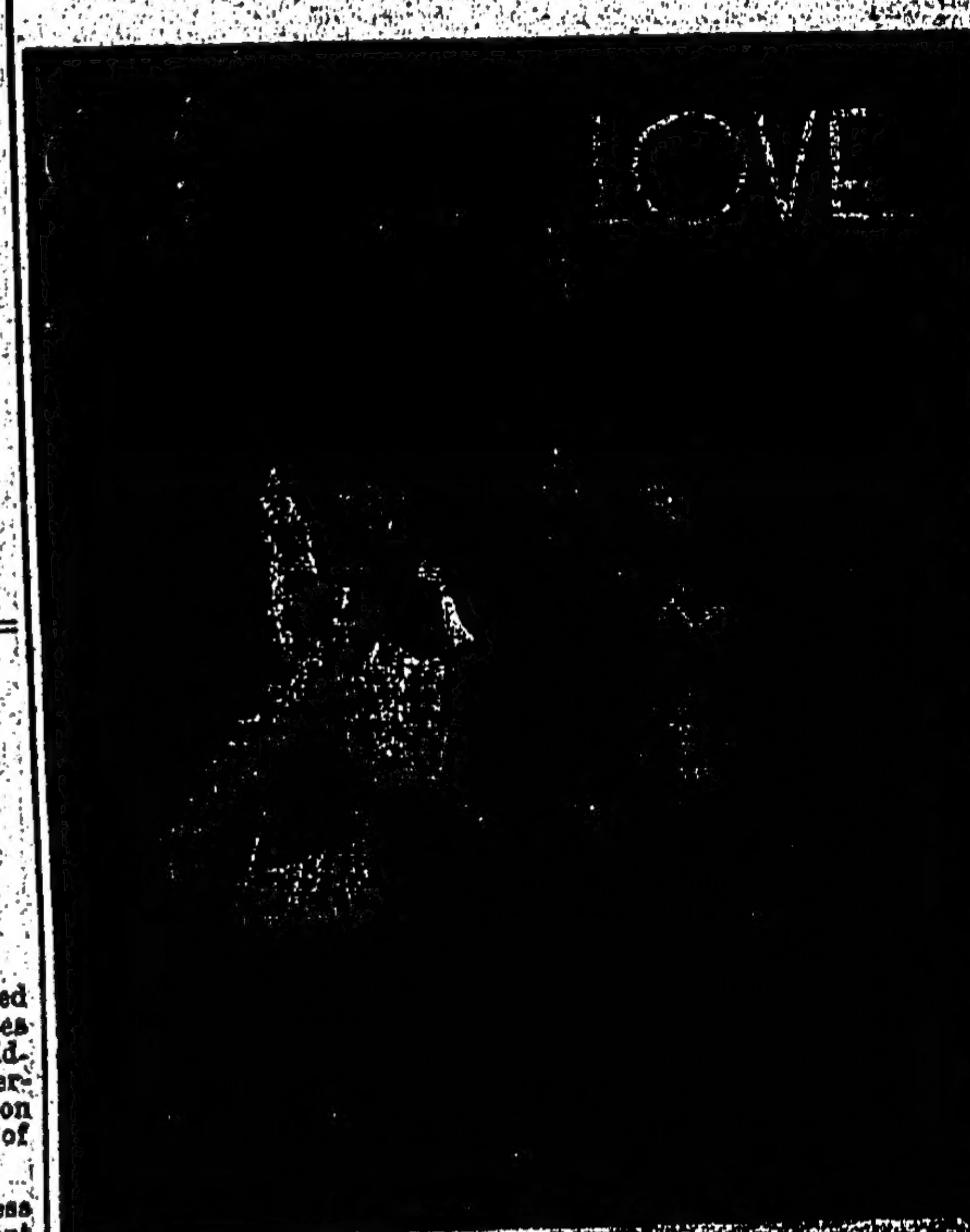
Brussels. Evening.—The government announces general mobilization.

TO-MORROW: France mobilizes and Germany declares war on Russia.



The south-west peak of Mt. Waddington, 13,200-foot-high mountain in British Columbia, remains unscathed after a dozen attempts with one life lost. But eight members of California's Sierra Club now are making the 13th attempt, flying from Vancouver, B. C., to Knight Island, whence they will cross Franklin Glacier, and establish a camp on the 10,000-foot level for a quick dash. Above, beside their plane, the climbers are: Jules M. Elchorn, University of California; D. R. Brower, Berkeley; Jack Reidelmutz, San Francisco; W. E. Loomis, Boston; Bestor Robinson, Oakland; Don Woods, San Jose; Bob Ratcliff, Berkeley; R. M. Leonard, Oakland. Below is a Royal Canadian Air Force photo of the peak, and the head of Franklin Glacier. Inset is a map showing the mountain's location.

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### HUNAN OFFICIALS

#### DRASTIC PROVINCIAL GOVT. CHANGES

Nanking, July 30. Several changes in the Hunan Provincial Government have been approved by the Executive Yuan

meeting this morning. General Ho Chien has retained the Governorship, but the Civil Affairs and Finance Commissioners have been replaced and four other members of the Provincial Government dismissed. The new appointments include Ho Hao-yo as Finance Commissioner, and Lin Ching as Civil Affairs Commissioner. —Reuter.



This latest picture of the Prince of Wales shows the hair to Britain's throne is beginning to look his 41 years. It was made during a ceremony in connection with the Silver Jubilee.

### Ethnological Exposition

#### ALL STAGES OF CIVILISATION

#### PRE-HISTORIC RELICS

Paris, June 28.

Relics of all stages of civilisation throughout the world are assembled in Paris to-day for the greatest Ethnological Exposition ever held in Europe. It will open here this week and will continue for three consecutive months.

Stone chicken-coops and gigantic statues from Easter Island, the most mysterious of all Polynesian groups in the Pacific Ocean, will be on display for the first time and will constitute the most important exhibits.

The relics from Easter Island were gathered by the Franco-Belgian Ethnographical Mission, which spent six months research on that remote, volcanic dot off the coast of Chile. This collection, which is being brought to Paris, includes one enormous stone hat, one complete statue, two giant busts and incised reading tablets whose alternating lines are inverted.

#### WEIRD EXHIBITS

A collection of real heads that have been shrunken by Peruvian Indians to the size of billiard balls although still possessing hair and clearly discernible features will be among the weird exhibits as will samples of the ancient Chinese torture knife of the thousand cuts.

In striking contrast will be an array of colourful dancing costumes, toys and musical instruments use by little-known civilisations in their efforts to play throughout the ages. The most attractive feature of this section promises to be the costumes of the tiny dancing virgins of Cambodia.

War paints and implements of tribal warfare as well as various kinds of armour employed by knights and warriors of the Middle Ages will comprise still another section.

Scientists from all over the world are being invited to the Exposition which will take place in the Grand Palais and the Petit Palais, the two main halls of the 1907 Exposition Universelle, from July 30 to September 10.

### MURDERED GIRL-BRIDE

#### FRENCHMAN SENT TO PRISON

#### FIVE BULLET WOUNDS

Michael Henriot, son of a former French Public Prosecutor, was sentenced to 20 years' penal servitude for the murder of his 19-year-old bride recently at Vannes.

Her body, terribly mutilated by five bullets, was found only a few months after their marriage in their lonely home on the cliffs of Brittany.

The crime was heard, it is alleged, over the telephone by an operator, who, receiving a call, heard articulate cries and the sound of shots.

Henriot is alleged to have insured his wife without her knowledge for about \$12,000. The marriage was the result of an advertisement which brought Michael Henriot into touch with Georgette Deglave.

One of the most poignant moments in the trial was when Mme. Henriot, the aged mother of the accused, cried: "My poor darling one, would that I had never brought you into the world."

Turning to the President, she said: "I have brought him up badly. I have loved him too well. Don't let that fall on his head."

#### DEAD WIFE'S LETTERS

The dead wife's letters to her sister told how her husband forced her to run naked along the cliffs and threatened her with a revolver. They described how she threw saucers at his head and put salt in his coffee.

Asked to describe the last fatal quarrel, Henriot said that he tried to kiss his wife, but she refused and slapped him. He seized a rock and struck her on the head.

When asked how it was that he shot her five times, loading the gun between each shot, the accused replied: "I am so used to shooting that I did it automatically."

Asked if he stood by his confession, Henriot replied: "I stand by it. The act was premeditated. I had decided to shoot her."

### FINGER PRINT DEVELOPMENT

#### LATEST DEVICE AGAINST CRIME

New York, July.

New York police have announced that, through chemical processes inspired by the Lindbergh baby kidnapping, they can identify fingerprints on cloth. They hope soon to be able to develop prints of criminals who wear gloves.

The almost miraculous process was developed in police department laboratories with the assistance of Dr. E. M. Hudson, specialist in body chemistry who found 500 fingerprints on the ladder used in the Lindbergh kidnapping after police had failed to find even one.

Experts of the department have already been able to prove that fingerprints are left on everything touched, even by a person wearing cloth or leather gloves. Body wax, composed principally of salt and liquids, seeps through the gloves in regular patterns and is imprinted on articles touched as surely as though the bare hand had made the contact.

Success in developing such prints to visibility has depended so far on the texture of the gloves used, but Dr. Hudson and police experts expect soon to make themselves independent of even that factor.

Mead's development of prints on the ladder used in the Lindbergh case and past success of police in locating prints on white cloth was by the use of silver nitrate. The nitrate turns the salt in fingerprints into silver chloride. Silver chloride exposed to light turns black, revealing the whorls and loops of the fingers.

Another process was required, however, for dark cloths, and to thwart the crook who uses gloves. The developing agent discovered is calcium sulphite powder, which is brushed over the suspected surface. It adheres like glue to the tiniest bit of body wax, making a print in white. Even now, if a criminal is so careless as to leave his gloves at the scene of the crime, his prints can be taken from inside them. —United Press.

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## RADIO BROADCAST

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8.30 a.m. The News. 12.30 a.m. The News.  
8.45 a.m. The News. 12.45 a.m. The News.  
9.00 a.m. The News. 1.00 a.m. The News.

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(G.B. and G.B.C.)

7.15 a.m. Big Ben. England v. South Africa.

7.30 a.m. A Radio Concert.

7.45 a.m. A running commentary on the Davis Cup Tennis Challenge Round. (Third day.)

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NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that the REGISTER of MEMBERS of the Company will be closed from WEDNESDAY, 7th, to TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST, 1935, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,  
**W. F. SIMMONS,**  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 29th July, 1935.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an INTERIM DIVIDEND of FOUR per cent (4%) for the six months ended 30th June, 1935, amounting to FORTY cents per share on the Fully Paid Up Shares and TEN cents per share on the Partly Paid Up Shares of the Company will be paid on FRIDAY, the 2nd AUGUST 1935, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Registered Office of the Company, Exchange Building, 4th floor. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 25th JULY, to FRIDAY, the 2nd AUGUST, 1935, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
**J. P. SHERRY,**  
Manager.

Hongkong, 5th July, 1935.

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IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that an Interim Dividend of \$2.10 per Share, subject to deduction of Income Tax, has been declared for the HALF YEAR ending 30th June, 1935, at the rate of 2 1/2% per Dollar.

THE DIVIDEND will be payable on and after MONDAY, 12th AUGUST 1935, at the offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

THE REGISTER OF SHARES of the Corporation will be closed from MONDAY 29th to SATURDAY 10th AUGUST (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors  
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Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 10th July, 1935.

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(Donated by Franko & Heidecke in conjunction with Messrs. Melchers & Co.)		Views, including Architecture and Street Scenes	
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\$40.00	\$10.00	2nd.—Cash Prize	
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Value .... \$120.00		Studies in Still Life	
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SECTION 3		(Donated by "Agfa" China Co.)	
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1st.—Agfa Speedex Compur Camera, with Optical Direct-Vision Finder and Solinar f.4.5.		3rd.—Cash Prize	
(Donated by "Agfa" China Co.)		\$20.00	
Value .... \$80.00		(Two Consolation Prizes "Rolliflex" Books)	
The following Rules will govern the Competition:—		SECTION 6	
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2.—Pictures submitted in Sepia tones should be accompanied by a smaller print in black and white.		1st Cash Prize \$20.00	
3.—The Prize will be awarded to the competitor sending in what are adjudged to be the best photographs in each Section. Each entry must be accompanied by the form below.		4.—Consolation Prizes	
4.—The right to publish any or all of the entries in the "Telegraph" is reserved.		"Boy Scout Kodaks"	
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6.—At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at this Office within seven days.		7.—No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery, loss or damage.	
8.—Photographs must not be less than Post-card size (excepting in the Children's Section) and the entry form should be lightly pasted on the back.		9.—No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.	
10.—Entries in the Children's Section must bear the names, age and address on the entry form ascertained by a parent.		11.—Members of the Staff of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.	
12.—The decision of the Judges shall be final.		ENTRY FORM	

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### INWARD MAILS

Japan	Nolore	July 31
Shanghai	Prosper	July 31
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 11th July)	Aeneas	August 1
Halibong	Canton	August 1
Straits and Air Mail ex Amsterdam-Bandoeng Service (Amsterdam, 20th July)	Conte Verde	August 1
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 12th July)	Pres. Coolidge	August 1
Shanghai and Swatow	Szechuen	August 1
Straits and London Parcel only (London, 27th June)	Deucalion	August 2
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 13th July)	Emp. of Canada	August 2
Japan and Shanghai	Hakusan Maru	August 2
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 5th July)	Pres. Adams	August 2
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	August 2
Amoy	Tilawa	August 2
Straits and Europe via Negapatam (Letters and Papers) London, 4th July—and Air Mail ex Amsterdam-Bandoeng Service (Amsterdam, 24th July)	Kashima Maru	August 2
Australia and Manila	Tanda	August 3
Calcutta and Straits	Suisang	August 3
Japan	Arabia Maru	August 5
Straits	Calchun	August 5
Shanghai	Melbourne Maru	August 6
Calcutta and Straits	Talms	August 6
Java	Tjinegara	August 6
Europe via Sues (Letters and Papers) London, 11th July and Parcel—London, 4th July	Naldera	August 7
Japan and Shanghai	Takuta Maru	August 7
Australia and Manila	General Lee	August 7
Japan and Shanghai	Kaisar-i-Hind	August 9
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 20th July)	Pres. Jackson	August 9

### OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time
Wednesday.		
Swatow	Seistan	Wed, July 31, 3 p.m.
Swatow	Hydrangia	Wed, July 31, 8 p.m.
Amoy	Tainan	Wed, July 31, 8.30 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Wed, July 31, 4 p.m.
Thursday.		
Shanghai and "Europe via Siberia"	Conte Verde	Thurs., Aug. 1, 8.30 a.m.
"Japan," "Canada" and "U.S.A." via Tallyhills	Thurs., Aug. 1, 9.30 a.m.	
Victoria B.C.		
(Due Victoria B.C., 20th August):		
Madang, Salamaua, via Rabaul	Fridgerun	Thurs., Aug. 1, 10.30 a.m.
Letters for "Bandoeeng-Amsterdam"	Aeneas	Thurs., Aug. 1, 10.30 a.m.
Air Mail Service—due Amsterdam, 12th August.		
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg., Aug. 1, 11.30 a.m.	Reg., Aug. 1, Noon.	
Letters, Aug. 1, Noon.	Letters, Aug. 1, 12.30 p.m.	
Straita, and "Europe" via Marseilles Aeneas	Thurs., Aug. 1, 12.30 p.m.	
(Due Marseilles 3rd September).		
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Reg., Aug. 1, Noon.	Reg., Aug. 1, 12.45 p.m.	
Letters, Aug. 1, Noon.	Letters, Aug. 1, 1.30 p.m.	
Manila	Pres. Coolidge, Thurs., Aug. 1, 5 p.m.	
Friday.		
Sandakan	Hinsang	Fri., Aug. 2, 10.30 a.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi and "Halphong"	Klungchow	Fri., Aug. 2, 1 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hal Tan	Fri., Aug. 2, 3 p.m.
"Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane."	Nellore	Fri., Aug. 2, 3 p.m.
(Due Brisbane, 19th August).	Parcels, Aug. 2, Noon.	
	Reg., Aug. 2, 1.45 p.m.	
	Letters, Aug. 2, 2.30 p.m.	
Manila	Emp of Canada	Fri., August 2, 4.30 p.m.
	Pres. Jefferson	Fri., Aug. 2, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and "Europe via Victoria, B.C., and "Europe via Siberia"	Parcels, Aug. 2, 3 p.m.	
(Due Victoria B.C., 20th August)	Reg., Aug. 2, 4.15 p.m.	
Letters for "Imperial Airways Service—due London, 19th August"	Letters, Aug. 2, 5 p.m.	
	Hakusan Maru	Fri., Aug. 2, 5 p.m.
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Reg., Aug. 2, 4 pm.	Reg., Aug. 2, 4.30 p.m.	
Letters, Aug. 2, 4.30 p.m.	Letters, Aug. 2, 5 p.m.	
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Letters for "Singapore-Australia Hakusan Maru"	Fri., Aug. 2, 5 p.m.	
Air Mail Service—due Darwin, 12th August		
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Letters, Aug. 2, 4.30 p.m.	Letters, Aug. 2, 5 p.m.	
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Halphong	Anton	Sat. Aug. 3, 9 a.m.
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Foochow	Suchen	Sun. Aug. 4, 9 a.m.
Monday.		
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East and South Africa	Klang	Mon. Aug. 5, 9 a.m.
Swatow and Bangkok		



## INOCULATION OF DOGS

### SANITARY BOARD APPROVES MOTION

A motion "That this Board, being of the opinion that mass or compulsory inoculation of dogs is an effective means of eradicating rabies, do respectfully urge the Government to take immediate steps to introduce a system of compulsory inoculation of all dogs in the Colony, such inoculation to be done by the Government free of charge," was carried by four votes to two at the fortnightly meeting of the Sanitary Board held in the Board Room yesterday afternoon. Mr. W. J. Carrie, Head of the Sanitary Department, presided.

Addressing the Board, Mr. Lo said: I do not propose to take up the time of this Board unnecessarily by attempting any description of the appalling nature of the disease of rabies.

I start with the assumption that every one would like to see the disease eradicated from our midst as soon as possible. The question, then, is: what are the present regulations, including those relating to the muzzling of dogs, effective?

The answer is obvious. I might borrow a legal phrase and say that the matter is *res ipsa loquitur*. The regulations have failed to achieve their object.

The next question, obviously is: Is there any other and more effective step which can be taken?

According to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, the answer is "yes," and it is the system of mass inoculation.

I propose to inform this Board very briefly what is being done in various places relatively near Hongkong in combating this disease.

#### Law in Japan

First as regards Japan: The law in Japan is that a Governor of any Prefecture may, when he thinks fit, order the inoculation of all dogs. The order is enforced by the Police. The owners of the dogs bring them to the appointed Police Office, where inoculation is done free by official Vets. Surgeons and a certificate is given. Dogs may be inoculated by private Vets, and their certificates are shown to the Police when vaccination by the Police is dispensed with. Charges by private Vets, vary from one yen to two yen.

I understand that compulsory inoculation has been found 100 per cent effective in eradicating rabies in various districts in Japan.

As regards Kuala Lumpur: The following are extracts from the Annual Reports of the Institute for Medical Research in Kuala Lumpur: From the 1930 Annual Report:—Prophylactic inoculation of dogs was commenced in Malaya during the year 1925 and the results obtained have been sufficiently encouraging to justify continuance.

The procedure has been found by the Veterinary authorities to be successful in so far that outbreaks can be controlled, but fresh outbreaks occur from time to time, and the incidence of the disease has not markedly diminished. It appeared that more energetic preventive measures were desirable, and accordingly, compulsory "mass" inoculation has been tried. The town of Kuala Lumpur was selected. Inoculations were undertaken by the staff of the Veterinary Department at Police stations.

The figures given below show the number of rabid dogs reported within the limits of Kuala Lumpur during the years 1928, 1929 and 1930, and the results indicate that mass inoculation of the canine population in an endemic area may be of considerable value.

	1928	1929	1930
Number of rabid dogs	29	29	0
Number of inoculations carried out	755	425	3200

A further experiment, on a smaller scale, was carried out in Kuala Selangor, and similar results were obtained.

Out of a total exceeding 5,000 inoculations only 3 failures to protect against rabies have been reported. In each case the inoculated dog had been in contact with a rabid animal.

and probably infected prior to inoculation.

**Mass Inoculation.**  
From the 1931 Annual Report:—The mass inoculation of dogs in Kuala Lumpur was undertaken early in 1930. In view of a complete absence of rabies in Kuala Lumpur during the year following compulsory inoculation, vaccination was not enforced in 1931. In the latter months of that year, however, rabies re-appeared and it was decided to re-enforce vaccination in 1932.

From the 1933 Annual Report:—Mass inoculation of dogs was undertaken by the Veterinary Department in 3 areas at the beginning of the year, as follows:

(1) In Kuala Lumpur for the second successive year no case of rabies occurred.

(2) In Kajang (Selangor) area in which cases of rabies had occurred during 1932. No case of rabies occurred in 1933.

(3) In Penang Island, in which 3 cases of rabies had occurred in 1932, only 2 cases occurred in 1933, in the first 5 weeks of the year, i.e., during a period when, at the time of vaccination, the incubation period of disease in these two dogs would be too far advanced for the vaccine to be effective.

I understand that inoculation has been found absolutely effective in various districts in Indo-China.

**Two Forms of Disease.**

It has been suggested that there being two kinds of rabies, namely the Californian type and the European type, inoculation cannot be effective unless the vaccine is made from the type of virus in question. But I am informed that according to the Institute for Medical Research in Kuala Lumpur, there is no essential difference between the virus of rabies from Europe and America.

As regards the cost of the vaccine I understand that it is obtainable from the Animal Diseases Investigation Station of the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry and from The Kikasso Medical Institute, both in Tokyo, at about 10 yen per 100 c.c., which would be sufficient to inoculate 20 dogs or a few more. It can also be obtained from the Institute for Medical Research in Kuala Lumpur and from the Pasteur Institute in Saigon at more or less similar rates.

I have communicated with Messrs. Mustard & Co. Ltd., who are the local agents for Mulford vaccine and they have authorised me to state their current price is \$1.45 less 40 per cent discount amounting to H.K. \$0.87 net, and that they felt sure that in the event of a large quantity being required, the price would be further reduced.

**Suggested Heavy Fines.**  
I believe that the public of Hongkong will enthusiastically co-operate under a system of compulsory but free inoculation, and that there will be very few defaulters.

As one means of penalising owners who have made default, I would advocate that it should be provided that the owner of any dog who has bitten a person and who cannot satisfy the Magistrate that the dog has been inoculated within 12 months should be fined heavily, even up to \$500, if the Magistrate is satisfied that he has the means to pay.

I do not say that any such regulation will be effective in getting all the dogs in the Colony—especially in some outlying districts in the New Territories—inoculated. But I see no reason to doubt that the great majority of the dogs on the Island and in Kowloon will be inoculated. And surely it is self-evident that the greater the number of inoculated dogs that exist at any period the greater is the immunity obtained by the community against the spread of the disease. And I would urge that the importation of any dog into the Colony be prohibited except on production of a certificate that it has been inoculated within 12 months or on the condition that the dog be forthwith quarantined and inoculated.

The annual cost to the Government cannot be very great. I understand that the following are the figures for licensed dogs in the Colony for 1935: Island of Hongkong 1,884, Greater Kowloon 1,393, New Territories (including watch dogs) 973.

Total 4,250.  
To be absolutely effective inoculation has to be repeated yearly. The annual cost is only a matter of a few thousand dollars. Surely the Colony can afford to pay such a trivial annual premium as insurance

against the spread of the disease.

Before I conclude, I would like to say to Mr. T. T. Prior, who has taken a deep interest in this question, for the data which I have ventured to place before this Board.

I beg to move the motion standing in my name.

**Second's Remarks.**

Seconding the proposal, Dr. Li Shu-fan said:—As I am convinced that the motion before the Board is both sound and practicable, I have no hesitation in seconding it.

Being a medical man, naturally I am a strong advocate of inoculation against disease, particularly against certain infectious diseases, of which rabies is one. I fear the general public has not sufficiently realized the efficacy of inoculation against rabies. For this reason I should like to state that this method of prevention has long passed the experimental stage and its effectiveness is now accepted throughout the civilized world. Furthermore Science has definitely established the fact that the inoculation confers immunity for at least one year.

With reference to this efficacy my colleague Mr. M. K. Lo has presented some very convincing reports and statistics. I should like however, to quote a further account concerning this method in Japan and the United States. Two of the leading authorities Huxley and Macleod in their textbook entitled "Diseases of Domestic Animals" state as follows under the heading of preventive inoculation against rabies in Japan that "out of 20,117 dogs vaccinated only four developed the disease as a result of an infection contracted before the vaccination. Among the others no rabies developed within one year." With reference to the United States the authors state that "this method has been very extensively employed since its introduction by Eliehor, several hundred thousand dogs having been vaccinated with very satisfactory results."

**Onus On Owner.**

The common experience derived from campaigns abroad is, that to be effective a system of compulsory mass inoculation is absolutely necessary. I agree with Mr. Lo in the adoption of the system, provision should be made to penalise defaulters and if a dog has bitten a person, the onus should be on the owner to prove that it has been inoculated within 12 months.

As far as I am aware, one reason for not adopting compulsory inoculation in Hongkong so far is, due to the fact that it is difficult if not impossible to identify the inoculated dog. In America when a dog is inoculated, a badge is issued for the attachment to the collar and the owner is given a certificate. The danger of this method is, that the collar is liable to be transferred to an un-inoculated dog.

In Hongkong however, the situation appears to be even more baffling, because of the predominating number of a certain breed, namely the chow dog. It is common knowledge that chow dogs have a very close resemblance to each other. This being the case, any system of photography for the purpose of identification as a means of identification would be of little value. However the real difficulty in identification arises, when an owner whether of a village-house or a junk has more than one dog of the same sex, colour and breed.

**Dogs Tattooed.**

In the absence of an alternative method of identifying the inoculated dog, I would like to take this opportunity to advise now as I suggested to the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon last year, that when a dog is inoculated, it can be simultaneously tattooed with a special mark on the body. The tattoo-mark need only be a distinguishing mark and no more. When this is carried out, all dogs caught without such marks should be dealt with as stray dogs.

I sincerely believe that the adoption of this device together with the issuance of the collar-badges and the certificate would solve the problem and render the identification of the inoculated dog trebly assured. In conclusion I need hardly remind members of the seriousness of the situation as revealed by the recent deaths from human rabies in the Colony. I am strongly of the opinion that it is imperative that a system of compulsory inoculation should be adopted without delay.

In dealing with such a dreaded disease as rabies no trouble and expense are too great for eradication and Medical Science has laid the method at our very door.

I consider the great benefit to be derived from the proposed measure will far outweigh any reasonable expenditure. I have much pleasure in seconding the motion.

**M. O. H. Replies.**

Dr. Pope, Medical Officer of Health, said that he could not follow Dr. Li's argument with regard to facilities for the identification of dogs. He remarked on the laxity of the local public and said that even the vaccination of dogs was ordered there would still be defaulters. There was always to be considered the owner who did not care about his dog and allowed it to get into contact with other dogs that were not above suspicion, and also wander on the beaches without muzzle or lead. Safe and effective muzzling, he said, had proved time and again to be a very effective method for the eradication of rabies. There would always be a dangerous percentage, however, of every native craft of any decent size had a dog on board. He felt against the motion and he did not think it would work.

**Element of Uncertainty.**  
Enlarging on Dr. Li's remarks regarding tattooing of dogs, the President jokingly remarked that if a dog were to be tattooed every year on being inoculated it would soon be tattooed all over!

Specific inoculation with a stock vaccine, he thought, introduced a very definite element of uncertainty. If compulsory inoculation were enforced to a certain degree of responsibility would fall on the Government body if there was a breakdown in immunity. If a dog inoculated against rabies

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contracted the disease six months later he did not feel that one should ask the Government to accept responsibility for the disease.

Dogs in Hongkong, he remarked, were kept as pets, with a very few exceptions in the New Territories. He did not feel that a call should be made to burden tax payers further with the inoculation of such animals.

Inoculation of cattle against rinderpest was good as cattle were of commercial value to Hongkong.

He added that the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon was of the opinion that the present restrictions on removal of dogs and the muzzling order were very effective. He appealed to the public to carry these measures out.

Rabies recurred owing to surreptitious introduction of the disease from outside the Colony, he added.

**Coloured Spots.**

Dr. Li Shu-fan added that with reference to the tattooing of dogs, he would suggest that a red spot be used for 1935, a blue spot for 1936, a green spot for 1937 and so on.

Dogs, of course, would not be allowed out without muzzles during the period of observation after inoculation had been carried out. He wished the Government would sincerely and without delay go into the question of the use of stock vaccine in the Colony.

**Mr. Lo Replies.**

Mr. Lo, replying, remarked that he did not understand the Medical Officer of Health's objection at all. He did not ask for the removal of the muzzling order but that the order should be supplementary to the compulsory inoculation. It was very painful to him that if there was uncertainty as to the merits or otherwise of certain anti rabies vaccine as used elsewhere that it should be just left at that.

Regarding the identification of inoculated dogs, Mr. Lo said that there was a law in Hongkong that no-one was to steal or murder, and he thought it would be rather futile for people to try and invent a means of identification whereby others could tell they did not steal or murder. If there was a law for the inoculation of dogs then everybody must obey it or bear the consequences.

Regarding the President's point about the measure of responsibility falling on the Government, Mr. Lo remarked he did not ask the Government to be guarantors, but he did not think the Government should be asked to assume a responsibility that the Government should not assume.

**Public and Humanity.**  
The President had raised the question as to why should everybody bear the expenses. Mr. Lo said he hoped very much the Hongkong public had that degree of humanity not to trouble over or evade assuming the responsibility of paying a few thousand dollars a year in the cause of human life, even if they should not assume such responsibility.

Mr. Lo expressed utter disapproval of the complacency of the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon as far as he could understand him. If the muzzling order was good and had proved effective, then he (Mr. Lo) would not waste the time of the Board, but it had been established that the muzzling order had not been effective. Rabies could be contracted by a scratch from a muzzle, without one necessarily being bitten by the dog.

Mr. Lo, in conclusion, said he asked that the public of Hongkong be an advanced community and follow other places like Japan and Kuala Lumpur which had tried and succeeded with compulsory inoculation of dogs.

Dr. Castro Basto remarked that it was known that medicine was not an exact science. If a fairly high percentage of immunity from the disease could be obtained it would be enough.

The President reminded Mr. Lo that he did not say only the muzzling order had proved effective but also the present restrictions on removal of dogs.

The motion by Mr. Lo was carried by 4 votes to 2.

Those present at the meeting were: Mr. W. J. Carrie (President), Dr. G. W. Pope (Medical Officer of Health), Mr. W. K. Lo, Mr. T. T. Prior, Mr. R. A. de Castro Basto, Dr. Li Shu-fan, Mr. C. J. Roe (Secretary) and Mr. Im Ping-tung (Assistant Secretary).

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### BRITAIN'S STAND

The assertion that the session of the Council which meets in Geneva to-day may determine whether the League of Nations is to disappear altogether, or become a real power for peace, adequately sums up a situation of the utmost gravity. Realising the ill-effects which have arisen as a consequence of the League's failure to see the ends of justice served in the Manchuria incident, Britain has latterly been taking every possible step to organise collective action by the civilised world to prevent the outbreak of war in Abyssinia. She has been moved, in these efforts, as much by a desire to see an equitable adjustment of the crisis as by an anxiety to uphold the League as an instrument for the preservation of world peace. Attempts to confine the League discussion to one particular incident, instead of courageously dealing with the whole problem of Italo-Abyssinian friction, are really futile. Eventually, the larger issues will have to be faced; nothing is to be gained by shelving prolonged deliberations on the subject, there recently emerged a definite British policy. This policy is based on the principle that Britain, being a member of the League, has collective obligations for the maintenance of peace, but that she has no individual obligation. The British public expects the Government not to shirk any obligation, subject to the willingness of other nations to undertake theirs, but it does not expect Britain to do anything that other nations are not willing to do. The Government is in line with the public on these points, and as a consequence it has long been realised that the key to the situation is to be found in the attitude of France. At the moment, that attitude has not been definitely disclosed. Up to the present, Britain has not taken the initiative in pressing for any particular form of action at the present stage, but there are indications that the Government believes economic sanctions, if not applied by the Powers outside the League as well as by the League Powers, would be useless. It has been made clear that should the attitude of France render collective action impossible, the Government would seek other means of

### NOTES OF THE DAY

#### WHO ARE HEROES?

Senator Clark, the man who sprang into prominence in Washington by declaring that the country was helpless to avoid entanglement in another major war, and who therefore suggested certain legislation to safeguard the nation's neutrality, is maintaining his rather hopeless campaign for action in the face of the Administration's lack of interest. In the opinion of his own generation he will never be a great man, in all probability. The great men are those who awaken intense nationalism amongst their contemporaries, who instil into the hearts of the people a strong contempt for those powers which run contrary to their own policies, who create that brilliant national defiance in the face of competition or opposition which has characterised the progressive belligerents of the past. We have known a few such men in history, and remember them with awe. We know of one or two such figures in this present day and sometimes look upon them with feelings which their own countrymen could not possibly comprehend, and certainly would not condone. And yet such men live on, their memories revered by the nation which they may have led to untold pain and ultimate ruin. The great-east of them all, Napoleon, even his enemies must have admired. There was no doubt that his own people worshipped him. Remember how his Guards rallied when he escaped from Elba? Remember how they wept for him in his adversity and sacrificed their lives, their sturdy, gallant lives, that he might bring more glories home to France? Never was there a greater general, let us say; never a leader better loved; and yet, in the end, he led his glorious army to destruction at Waterloo. And the glories that were France's, which for a brief while had covered her wounds were stripped from her. And there were the scars! Would Napoleon have been remembered had he fought not in the battlefields but in Parliament and for the neutrality of France? We err more often than in selecting the real hero of the hour. The little, forgotten men who face the jeers of the mob and the sneers of their colleagues when striving for some ideal beyond the pitiful understanding of the masses, are as brave, or braver than those other gentlemen who talk of mighty fleets and armies and shout defiance to the world. And although Senator Clark, from a Missouri village, will never stand beside Napoleon, he has the same ambition. He hopes to give his country peace.

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Perhaps, too, he hoped that the quarrel would unite the country behind him. This it never did, and in the eyes of posterity those years of deplorable misgovernment stand out as a struggle between villains and heroes, with the fate of America dependent on the issue. But the villains—George III., his Prime Minister Lord North, and his lesser hirelings "the King's Friends"—were not good villains. George was too sensible and too commonplace to merit the 20 years of raving lunacy in which he ended his life. Lord North, formerly of Eton and the House, was too good-humoured and too charming an individual to deserve the blindness which closed his eyes for ever. And "the King's Friends," they were too obscure, too undistinguished in every way to be worthy of the opprobrium which has been showered on them.

### COAL FOR CURRENT

Strangely enough, about a century after James Bowman Lindsay, a lonely pioneer, lit his attic room with a crude electrical contrivance and pointed the way to a new means of illumination, the first National Electrical Convention has been held in Great Britain and has organized its forces for an attack upon the problems of the industry. The problems are many, for the industry has expanded rapidly in the intervening years. But the major problems are two: the need for standardisation, and for a better distributive system. It is asserted

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preventing war, but in no circumstances should it place Britain in the position of an international policeman, taking upon herself responsibility for the maintenance of peace at her sole risk. The present week will, in the circumstances, be a crucial time not only for Italy and Abyssinia, but also for the whole of Europe. Britain is apparently determined not to let vital issues be side-stepped. The question at the moment is whether she can rally to her side other nations equally anxious that the League shall be re-established on a firmer footing, as the only organised body so far devised for the purpose of preserving peace, or, when that objective is impossible of fulfilment, of seeing that unjustified aggression meets with the punishment which it deserves.

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### VILLAINS WHO LOST AN EMPIRE

By TANCYE LEAN

By adopting the Declaration of Independence 159 years ago the United States of America broke away from the British Empire. Tancye Lean here describes the dramatic situation in British politics which brought about this division of the English-speaking people.

It was the end of the First British Empire. Lord Chatham, old and weak with pain, rose for the last time in the House of Lords. "His Majesty succeeded," came the slow words, "succeeded to an Empire as great in extent as its reputation was unassailed. Seventeen years ago this people was the terror of the world. . . . But he sagged back limply against his seat. Unconscious, he was carried home to die.

It had been a bad muddle, too stupid, too undignified to deserve that tragic curtain. Fifteen years previously a spectacular war had been fought which annihilated French power in America, and as a sequel it was proposed that the colonists on the far side of the Atlantic should contribute to the national Exchequer.

In theory, perhaps, that plan was not unreasonable, but its administration was carried out so feebly yet so provocatively that it would have inflamed the independent spirit of a colony of slaves.

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But as villains they did their work; for by their mercenary weakness they made the integrity of Burke and Chatham and Fox stand out in a white blaze of virtue, and if they lost us America, they provided the fertile ground from which the finest speeches in the English language grew up and spread their tendrils of pure oratory.

Let me speak what my soul dictates of the eloquence of Burke, wrote Dr. Parr with pardonable enthusiasm:

of Burke by whose sweetness Athens herself would have been soothed, with whose amplitude and exuberance she would have been enraptured, and on whose lips that prolific mother of genius and science would have adored, confessed, the goddess of inspiration.

As Chatham lay prostrate with gout, his agonies driving him to the borders of insanity, it was this voice of Burke's which spoke out year after year in a vain endeavour to make reason triumph over bribery, and nobility over the ambition of an obnoxious King.

These are the arguments of States and Kingdoms. Leave the rest to the schools, for there only they may be discussed with safety. But if intemperately unwisely, fatally, you sophisticate and poison the very source of government by urging subtle deductions and consequences odious to those you govern, from the unlimited and illimitable nature of supreme sovereignty, you will teach them by these means to call that sovereignty itself in question.

Late in the day he would rise in the Commons when many members had already left. Then, as the rumour went round that he was speaking, they came hurrying back to listen to him intently, to applaud admiringly, and to vote, in loyalty to the bribes they had received, against him.

The struggle was a heart-breaking one for Burke, but strangely it was North who came nearest to being broken by it, as we can see from those vast tomes of correspondence in which he reported to the King the doings of Parliament.

Lord North to the King. Lord North has the honour of informing His Majesty that the Committee went through the greatest part of Mr. Burke's Bill to-day, and had in the course of it several divisions, in all of which Mr. Burke was defeated.

Lord North feels himself so weak and unable to go on for any time, that he cannot help reminding His Majesty of the request he has lately had the honour more than once of submitting to His Majesty's goodness.

The King to Lord North. Lord North cannot doubt that I received with pleasure his account of Mr. Burke's Bill having been defeated before the Committee yesterday.

But he cannot be surprised at the real sorrow occasioned by seeing He persists in the idea that His health will not long permit him to remain in his present situation. . . . There is no means of letting Lord North retire from taking the lead in the House of Commons that will not probably entail evil. . . . He must be the judge whether he can therefore honourably desert me when inflexible mischief must ensue.

"Inflexible mischief"—that vision of a Miltonic chaos we owe not to (Continued on Page 9.)



"I don't care what the hospital rules are, young lady. Don't try to tell me how to bathe a baby."

### The Very Idea!

WAR IN HONGKONG

Supreme Court Boycotted  
By Signor Kelly

By Eddie "Musso" Kelly

Since the newspapers seem to print nothing else these days but news of an impending conflict between Abyssinia and Italy, Eddie Kelly has decided that he might as well be in the swim. Only he doesn't see why he should cross the world for it lying about in Hongkong. So, just for the purposes of this article, he's written a fantastic story of what would happen if international diplomacy, such as that employed in the present dispute, was suddenly applied to Hongkong.

War clouds loomed in Hongkong yesterday, following the reception by M. Litvinoff MacGregor, President of the Supreme Court Council, of a complaint from Emperor Selassie Whalesteeth against alleged aggression by Signor Eddie "Musso" Kelly.

Emperor Whalesteeth, who lives in Nathan Road, Kowloon, alleged in his complaint to MacGregor that Signor Kelly's house-boy had crossed the harbour from the Peak and had scamped with his (the Emperor's) house boy in his (the same Emperor's) kitchen.

Signor Kelly denies the allegations. "The kitchen belongs to me," he said.

It is reported that Signor Kelly is sending some more house boys across to Kowloon to-morrow morning.

The tension between The Peak and Kowloon houseboys is growing.

Feverish activity was witnessed at the Star Ferry this morning when all available space was taken by Signor Kelly's boys, who are en route to the battle front at Kowloon. Cheering crowds of rickshaw coolies lined the Praya to watch the contingents departing by ferry and walla walla.

Emperor Whalesteeth has appealed to Mr. Stanley Burlington Baldwin to invoke the clauses of the Summary Offences Ordinance dealing with excessive noise at night.

"I can't get a wink of sleep with all those Kelly coolies yawling outside my kitchen every night," he said in an exclusive press interview to-day.

If fighting breaks out between Kowloon and Peak houseboys, Mr. E. Newhouse, who controls all waterways in Hongkong, may prohibit the passage of Kelly coolies along the Mid-Level nullah nullahs. This would force the Peak coolies, unless they used the Peak tram, to proceed to Kowloon around the Repulse Bay Cape.

M. Avenol Hazlerigg, Secretary General of the Supreme Court, announced to-day that M. Litvinoff MacGregor had convened the Court on Wednesday next at the request of Emperor Whalesteeth.

It is considered likely that Signor Kelly will ignore the summons to appear, unless M. MacGregor consents to limit the procedure to dealing with the black eye sustained by Emperor Whalesteeth's boy during last week's kitchen brawl.

Signor Kelly refuses to allow the League Court to discuss the ownership of the kitchen, or Emperor Whalesteeth's allegations that he ultimately plans to seize the whole of the Emperor's house.

Signor Kelly has issued a veiled threat that he will boycott the Supreme Court if it endeavours to extend the scope of next Wednesday's proceedings.

Mrs. Whalesteeth, in exclusive interview with the Telegraph, issued an appeal to the amahs of the Mid Levels to aid the Whalesteeth people in their desire to live in peace and tranquility.

"In the name of the wash amahs, and cook amahs of Nathan Road," Empress Whalesteeth's appeal said, "I declare to the noble and kind cook amahs of the Mid Levels that we desire a peaceful solution of the dispute, which is disrupting our lives."

The Daily Press states that the Hongkong Gas Company is considering despatching coolies to the Whalesteeth kitchen in order to protect the company's gas stove.

Mr. Roosevelt Mildren, whose army of boys and coolies is one of the greatest in the world, enunciated a two-point programme to-day, aimed at keeping Repulse Bay out of the Kowloon-Peak conflict.

Repulse Bay, New Territory and Mid Level amahs are being evacuated from the Whalesteeth area.



## "Glorious Goodwood"

### BIG HOLIDAY CROWD ATTENDS

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, July 30. To-day is the beginning of "Glorious Goodwood," which marks the end of the London season.

A large holiday crowd was present on the course, many coming by motor coaches from seaside resorts. The beautiful scenery in and around Goodwood was seen at its best, for the weather was fine and sunny.

Lady Ludlow's Green Oar (7-1) won the Steward's Cup, Captain Field's Almond Hill (100-6) was second, and Sir Victor Sassoon's Cora Deans (100-7) third.

Sammy Wragg rode the winner, this being a lucky last-minute change, as Weston had previously been engaged to ride Green Oar. The winner's time of one minute, twelve seconds, was a record for the course of six furlongs.

The Aga Khan's Mahmoud, one of the most promising two-year-olds, won the Richmond Stakes of six furlongs at 2 to 1.

Reuter Special.

## BRITAIN TO HOLIDAY

### MILLIONS EXPECTED TO TRAVEL

London, July 30. Railways are making extensive preparation to deal with exceptionally heavy holiday traffic, anticipated for next week-end and the August bank holiday period. The Great Western Railway expects to carry some 3,000,000 passengers between August 2 and 8.

The London and North Eastern Railway will run forty-two additional trains from Liverpool Street and sixteen from King's Cross. Special arrangements are being made by the Southern Railway for visits to Chatham, Portsmouth and Plymouth for Navy Week, which will be formally opened at Portsmouth next Saturday by the Duke of York, who will perform the ceremony from the starboard cathead of Nelson's Victory.—British Wireless.

## AMERICA'S SYMPATHY

### RELIGIOUS FREEDOM FIRST PRINCIPLE

Washington, July 30. American sympathy towards the exercise of religious freedom and liberty of conscience in all countries is expressed by Mr. William Phillips, Under-Secretary for State, in a letter to Jewish organizations which recently protested to the State Department against alleged anti-Jewish persecutions in Germany.

The letter says that concepts of religious freedom and liberty of conscience for all constitute the most fundamental principles of our civilization and political faith, adding that the American people are always sympathetic to the maintenance of those concepts in the United States as well as in other nations.—Reuter.

## NEW WEAPON OF WAR

### LEWIS GUNS WILL BE DISPLACED

London, July 30. In the House of Commons, Captain Douglas Hacking, Parliamentary Secretary for War, announced that as the result of a trial extending over several years, the War Office has decided to adopt the Czechoslovakian light machine-gun, which will be known as the Vreng gun, instead of the Lewis gun.

Accordingly, an agreement has been made to use the patent for the manufacture of such machine-guns in Britain.

Captain Hacking added that the Army would continue to use the Vickers heavy machine-guns.—Reuter.

## RADIO-PHONE SERVICE

London, July 30. The Post Office announces the inauguration on August 1 of a radio-telephone service between Great Britain and Ireland.—British Wireless.

## STEAMERS PREPARED FOR GALE

(Continued from Page 1.)

tain Arakida, for the midnight sailing was merely to catch very favourable tides in Shanghai. The ship may be one or two hours late in arriving there.

The only other ship at Kowloon Wharf yesterday when No. 6 typhoon signal was hoisted was the J.C.J.L. steamer Van Heutz, and she too, was ordered to move away from the wharf. She went into the stream to a buoy.

At 8 o'clock this morning the Douglas steamer Haitan arrived from Swatow, but beyond a fairly heavy swell, those on board had nothing to report of the typhoon. While the ship was in Swatow the typhoon was about 40 miles away, and though all except two other ships remained at anchor in Swatow it was not considered likely that there would be any trouble there.

The Haitan left the port at 4 p.m. yesterday and about the same time the steamer Daviken left, also for Hongkong. The Haitan left for the north, but as the typhoon had crossed onto the land some time before and the Haitan intended making a detour to sea it was not expected that she would encounter anything more than a heavy swell.

Owing to the very bad atmospheric conditions the Haitan was not in wireless communication with Hongkong between the time of her sailing and about midnight, while other ports were not picked up until after 3 o'clock this morning.

## THE TYPHOON

The Manila Observatory, reporting at 8.50 a.m. to-day, states that the typhoon is in about 11.4 Long, 24 Lat, moving west. This position is well inland between Swatow and Amoy, and north-west of Canton.

The No. 6 signal, which was hoisted in Hongkong yesterday afternoon, was lowered at 6.30 this morning.

## CONTINUED HELP FOR INDUSTRY

(Continued from Page 1.)

view at triennial intervals. For the purpose of its immediate sugar policy, the Government did not propose to make any change in the details of the Customs excise or subsidy scales.

The Government had also reviewed the international sugar situation. They believed the various producing countries could only set their sugar industries upon an economic basis by means of an international agreement for the adjustment of supplies to the requirements of world markets. State assistance being diminished as the "market" conditions improved. They proposed to invite the Governments of the sugar exporting Dominions and Colonies to examine with them the possibility of a joint endeavour to reopen international negotiations if there were a reasonable prospect of a successful issue.—British Wireless.

## NOTES OF THE DAY

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that there are fourteen different voltages supplying current in England. This is a big improvement over two decades ago, for London alone then had twenty-four different voltages and fifty different systems. This meant the stocking of a wide variety of apparatus on the part of the dealer, an expensive arrangement for the manufacturer and a hardship for the consumer, especially if he moved from one district to another. The Grid system, which provides a network of stations throughout the country, has achieved co-ordination in the matter of generation and transmission. But much is yet to be desired in the arrangements for distribution. On this question several official and unofficial groups are at work. No time is being lost, for the fact is being borne in upon the world that electricity is at the threshold of a new era. The advantage will lie with those who are in the van. Though Great Britain is denied the natural sources of power which America finds in her valleys and Switzerland in her mountain slopes, she has great veins of coal from which immense power can be derived, and these she intends to exploit to the full.

## BRITISH FINANCES

London, July 30. Exchequer returns show that the ordinary revenue to date, excluding self-balancing items, amount to £179,988,138, compared with £180,398,847 at the corresponding date of last year. The total ordinary expenditure, exclusive of self-balancing items, is £238,638,500, against £231,869,894 at the corresponding date of 1934.—British Wireless.

## HARBOURING CHARGE

### YOUNG VILLAGE GIRL LED ASTRAY

"You're a miserable wretch putting all the blame on the girl," said Mr. Wynne-Jones to Chung Kui, 27, unemployed, who was charged at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court yesterday with harbouring an unmarried girl, but alleged that the girl forced herself on him against his will. Defendant was sentenced to six months' hard labour.

Defendant was charged with having harboured this Yut-ngo, 18, at No. 28 Southwall Road, first floor, between July 20 and 27, without the consent of her father, Chiu Hung. Inspector K. W. Andrew, of the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, appeared for the prosecution. He said Chiu Hung stated in evidence that he was a fitter employed at Dodwell and Company. He had two daughters and a baby son. The girl, Yut-ngo, who was the eldest was born on the 6th day of the 7th moon in the 10th year of the 1910s. Yut-ngo was found looking for a suitable husband for the girl, but had not made any arrangements for her marriage.

Introduced by Friend Witness was introduced to defendant by a friend at a tea-house a little over a month ago. Defendant had been to witness's house and several times had been there in witness's absence. Witness had seen defendant speaking to the girl, but although he was displeased witness did not say anything. Defendant had never spoken to witness about marriage.

On July 18 the girl disappeared and after she had been gone for two days, witness started a search for her. Witness went to the Ling Nam preserver fruit shop and made enquiries. Defendant was present and when witness asked him if he had seen the girl, he replied "No." The following day witness went to defendant's house at No. 40 Takaling Road, but was told by him and his parents that the girl had not been there. About 6 p.m. on the third day witness went there again but they (defendant and his family) insisted that they knew nothing. Witness was suspicious of defendant because the girl had only come to Hongkong recently from the country and did not know anybody and she worked at the same place as defendant. The fourth time witness went to defendant's house, defendant became abusive and suggested going to the police station, so witness went out and walked about the streets at Kowloon City. In Southwall Road witness saw his daughter on the verandah of one of the houses. He went home and had a discussion and on the following morning he collected some people and went to No. 28 Southwall Road.

Arrested in Cubicle Witness sent his wife and younger daughter up to the first floor, and after a while they came down and said that the girl was there, so witness went to the police station. Later defendant was arrested in the rear cubicle. The girl was also present. After defendant was arrested the girl was afraid and defendant said to her, "Don't be afraid. I won't have to go to jail."

Questioned if he had made a statement at the Kowloon City Police Station, that he was willing to let the girl marry defendant, provided the marriage was made public and he was given a certain sum of money, witness said that if defendant had been honest he would have agreed to the marriage even if he had no money. Asked why he had later changed his mind regarding the marriage, witness replied that as defendant had not been honest with him and had refused to say anything before the girl was found, he (witness) could not consent to a marriage; it would be "against his conscience."

Defendant alleged that once when he visited complainant at his house, complainant said that his daughter had grown up and that she was willing to let her marry him so long as he could support her. Defendant had gathered that the girl was "keen" on him, and alleged that she had suggested living with him, but defendant refused saying, "I have no money."

On the 18th, the girl came to defendant and told him that she had had a quarrel with her father and that she had run away.

Against His Will When defendant heard this he said that there was bound to be trouble, but the girl said that she was old enough and that if there was any trouble she would be willing to go to jail. Defendant further alleged that the girl forced herself upon him against his will.

After evidence had been heard, the Magistrate asked counsel whether he was still opposed to the marriage and complainant replied, "Yes."

On being sentenced defendant cried out, "No, I am not going to jail!" and refused to leave the dock. As defendant was forced to leave the dock the Magistrate remarked, "Quite a number of people feel that way, but they have to go."

## COLONIAL APPOINTMENT

London, July 30. It is announced by the Colonial Office that Mr. H. C. D. C. MacKenzie Kennedy, late Chief Secretary of Northern Rhodesia, is to be appointed Chief Secretary of Tanganyika Territory, in succession to Mr. P. E. Mitchell, whose appointment as Governor of Uganda was announced recently.—British Wireless.

## PARLIAMENTARY RECESS

London, July 30. The House of Commons, which rises on August 2, will reassemble on October 29.—Reuter.

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

### LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Frits in conjunction with Reuter, July 29, July 30.

### British Government Securities

War Loan 8 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
5% Bonds 1898	102 1/2	102 1/2
4 1/2% Loan 1908	99	99
5% Loan 1912	70	78
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	90 1/2	90 1/2
5% Bonds 1924-25	90 1/2	90 1/2
5% Shal-Nanking Ry.	74	72
5% Tient-Pukow Ry.	27	27
5% Tient-Pukow Ry. (Supl.)	23	23
5% Honan Ry.	27	27
5% Hukuang Ry.	40	40
5% Lung Tsing U. Ry.	14	14

### Foreign Bonds and Banks

German 7% Int. Loan 1924	62 1/2	62 1/2
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	83	83
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1924	93 1/2	93
H.K. & S'hai Bk. (Ldn. Regd.)	100	100
Chartrd. Bk. of I.A. & C.	13 1/2	13 1/2

### Commercial and Industrial

Allied Iron Foundry	41/9	43/-
Associated Elec. Industries	30/6	30/3
Austin Motors ord. sh.	52/6	52/9
Boots 5/- sh.	49/3	49/3
British-American Tobacco (Reuter)	110/4 1/2	120/-
Canadian Colnase Chinese Eng. and Min.	13/6	13/-
Courtaulds	54/6	55/-
Dunlop Rubber	93/3	93/3
Electric Musical Industries	27/-	27/3
General Electric (England)	57/8	57/3
Hawker Aircraft	26/9	26/9
Imperial Chem. Ind.	35/9	35/3
O.R. Bazaar	23/4 1/2	23/3
Imperial Tobacco	140/7 1/2	142/6
Rolls Royce £1 sh.	153/1 1/2	153/9
Shal Elec. Constr. & Lye	47/6	47/6
Turner & Newall	55/6	56/3
United Steel	32/10 1/2	33/4 1/2
Vickers ord.	14/7 1/2	15/-
Watney, Combe & Reid def. ord.	77/6	77/6
Woolworths	110/3	110/3
Anglo-Dutch Miscellaneous	22/9	22/1 1/2
Gula Kalumpung Rubber	22/6	22/6
Pekin Synd. 2/- ord. sh.	1/6	1/6
Rubber Trusts	30/3	30/4 1/2

### Mines

Burma Corp. Rs. 10	9/3	9/3
Commonwealth Mining	12/1 1/2	12/6
Randfontein Estates	54/-	53/-
Spring Mines	6/6	6/3
Sub-Nigel	25/3	25/3
Khukana Corp.	95/-	95/-
Anglo-Persian Oil	58/9	59/4 1/2
Burmah Oil	79/4 1/2	79/4 1/2
Shell Trans. and Trad. (Bearer)	71/10 1/2	73/1 1/2
Marmans Investment, Ltd.	31/3	29/7 1/2

## U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

### LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuter:

New York Cotton		
July 29.	July 30.	July 31.
October	11.50	11.40/48
December	11.37	11.30/37
January (1936)	11.35	11.34/34
March	11.23	11.20/26
May	11.20	11.22/22
July	11.23	11.18/18
Spot	12.05	12.00

### New York Rubber

September	12.00a	12.01/01
December	12.20	12.21/21
January	12.20a	12.20/20
March	12.24a	12.24/42
May	12.24a	12.25b
Total sales	—182 lots	

### Chicago Corn

July	83	82 1/2	82 1/2
September	77	76 1/2	76 1/2
December	64	63 1/2	63 1/2
May	66 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Monday's sales	—8,728,000 bushels		

### Chicago Wheat

July	92	90 1/2	90 1/2
September	92 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
December	93 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
May	95	94 1/2	94 1/2
Monday's sales	—51,787,000 bushels		

### Winnipeg Wheat

July	85 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
August	85 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2

### New York Silk

September	1.44	1.43 1/2	1.44
December	1.48	1.42 1/2	1.43
March	1.48	1.42 1/2	1.43
Total sales	—58 lots		

### Montreal Silver

September	68.10	67.85/68.05
December	68.50	68.50/69.00
January	68.50	69.10
March	68.50	69.75/70.00
Total sales	—15 contracts	

## RADIO BROADCAST

### Violin Recital From The Studio

### THE MUSIC MAKERS

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles):  
6.15 p.m. Children's Studio Concert.  
7.11 p.m. European Programme.  
7.30 p.m. Orchestral Music.  
Carnival Overture (Dvorak, Op. 92).  
Ave Maria (Meditation) (Bach-Gounod).  
Ave Maria (Schubert).  
Pomp and Circumstance March (No. 3 in G) (Elgar).  
Pomp and Circumstance March (No. 4 in G) (Elgar).  
Tchickovsky in Vienna (arr. Walter).  
7.30-7.45 p.m. A Recital by Alfred Pizzaveri (Tenor).  
1. Beauty's Eyes (Tosti); 2. Love's Little Gift (Rosa (Openshaw); 3. Thank God for a Garden (Del Rigo); 4. Roses of Picardy (Haydn Wood).  
7.45-8 p.m. The J. H. Squire Celeste Octet.  
Operatic (Famous Operatic Melodies) (arr. J. H. Squire).  
Putting the Clock Back (Famous Folk Songs of Britain) (arr. J. H. Squire).  
8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.  
8.30-9.20 p.m. From the Studio.  
A Violin Recital by Miss Prus Lewis accompanied by Nura Knio Programme.  
1. 2nd Hungarian Dance (Brahms);  
2. Hymn to the Sun (Rimsky-Korsakov); 3. English Dance (Dale);  
4. Breath O' June (McEwen); 5. Lomondy Air (arr. O'Connor).  
8.20-8.30 p.m. "Song Carnival of 1932 Stars."  
8.30-9 p.m. Variety.  
Piano Solo—Judy Carroll Gibbons.  
Song—Blue Moon.  
Song—You and the night and the Music.  
Laila Hutchinson.  
Instrumental—Tunes with Pop.  
The Bugle Call Raggers.  
Song—Love's Last Word is spoken.  
Gracie Field (Comedienne).  
Piano Solo—Jill Darling.  
Selection.  
Piano Solo—M. I. Love again.  
Patricia Rosborough.  
Orchestra—Silly Symphonies (arr. Munro).  
9.15-9.30 p.m. A Relay from Davenport News Bulletin (Copyright by Reuter).  
9.15-9.30 p.m. Musical Comedy.  
Vocal Gems—Bitter Sweet (Coward).  
Selection—One Hour with you.  
McEwen.  
9.30-10 p.m. From the Studio.  
Selections by "The Music Makers."  
10 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletin.  
10.05-11 p.m. Dance Music.  
11 p.m. Close Down.

### ZEESON PROGRAMMES

### This Evening's Broadcast From The German Short-Waves

Special programmes for Far Eastern listeners will be broadcast from Zeeson as follows:  
SOUTH ASIA ZONE  
(South Asia Zone broadcast from DJB.)  
DJB 19.15 m 15.200 kc 1.30-3 p.m.  
DJB 19.15 m 15.200 kc 4.45-5.15 p.m.  
DJB 19.15 m 15.200 kc 4.45-5.15 p.m.  
DJB 19.15 m 15.200 kc 9 p.m.-12.30 a.m.  
4.45 p.m. DJB DJB Announcement (German).  
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5 p.m. Concert Programme.  
5.15 p.m. Typical Talk.  
5.30 p.m. News in English.  
5.45 p.m. Games and Coll. Music by Hayden and Beethoven.  
5.55 p.m. Woman's Programme Katharina von Bera. A Radio Impression by Lisa Schultze-Kunemann.  
6.05 p.m. News in German.  
7 p.m. Concert of Light Music.  
8 p.m. News in English.  
8.15 p.m. Close down DJB, DJN (German).  
EAST ASIA ZONE  
East Asia Zone broadcast through DJQ on 19.03 metres (15,200 kc.) 1.30-3 p.m. Concert, news at 2 p.m.  
9 p.m. DJQ DJB Announcement (German).  
9.15 p.m. Short Musical Programme.  
9.30 p.m. Typical Talk.  
9.45 p.m. News in English on DJQ and in Dutch on DJB.  
10 p.m. Dutch Youth Programme: Inauguration of the Hitler Youth "Deutschland" Camp.  
10.15 p.m. News in German on DJQ and DJB.  
10.30 p.m. Current Events.  
10.45 p.m. Variety Programme with Seletia.  
12.15 a.m. News in English on DJQ and in Dutch on DJB.  
12.30 a.m. Close down DJQ, DJB (German, English).

### DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES

### To-day's Broadcasting From Four Transmissions

The following wave-lengths and frequencies are observed by Daventry. Frequency Wavelength  
Call Sign  
GSA 6250 k.c. 47.90 metres  
GSA 6250 k.c. 47.90 metres  
GSC 5250 k.c. 57.15 metres  
GSD 11,750 k.c. 25.53 metres  
GSE 11,750 k.c. 25.53 metres  
GSF 11,750 k.c. 25.53 metres  
GSG 11,750 k.c. 25.53 metres  
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# YORKSHIRE'S FAILURE TO FORCE HOME ADVANTAGE

## Big First Innings Lead Of No Avail

### Leading Baseball Teams Lose

#### GIANTS SHARE A DOUBLE HEADER

#### VERGEZ SCORES TWO RUNS

New York, July 30. The Detroit Tigers and the New York Yankees, leaders of the American Baseball League, together with the New York Giants and the St. Louis Cardinals, the top teams in the National Championship, were all defeated to-day.

The Giants, however, partially retrieved themselves by winning the second match of a double header from the Philadelphia Phillies, to whom they lost the first game by a convincing margin. During the first contest Vergesz scored two home runs for the Philadelphia outfit.

The Cardinals had their colours lowered by Cincinnati Reds, to whom they lost by six runs to five. The Detroit Tigers were playing the St. Louis Browns when they lost their return to-day while the Yankees had as their opponents, the Philadelphia Athletics.

Results of to-day's matches follow:

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R	H	E.
Cleveland	6	10	1
Chicago	4	11	0

(Trotter scored a home run for the Browns and Washington for the Red Sox.)

St. Louis	8	12	0
Detroit	5	12	1

(Sellers scored a home run for the Browns and Fox for the Tigers.)

New York	5	11	1
Philadelphia	6	9	2

(Bill Dickey scored a home run for the Yankees and Higgins for the Athletics.)

Boston	11	13	1
Washington	4	4	3

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R	H	E.
Philadelphia	2	8	2
New York	8	9	2

(Vergesz scored two home runs for the Phillies while Jackson and Stout scored for the Giants.)

Philadelphia	2	8	2
Chicago	9	11	1

(Vaughan scored a home run for the Pirates.)

St. Louis	5	10	1
Cincinnati	6	13	0

#### STEWARDS' CUP

#### Thrilling Finish At Goodwood

The following was the result of the Stewards' Cup at Goodwood to-day: Green Ore (Sam Wragge), 7 to 1; Almond Hill (Harry Wragge), 100 to 5; Dora Deans (H. Forster), 100 to 7. Seven-year-old ran. The race was won by a head, and there was the same distance between second and third.—Reuter.

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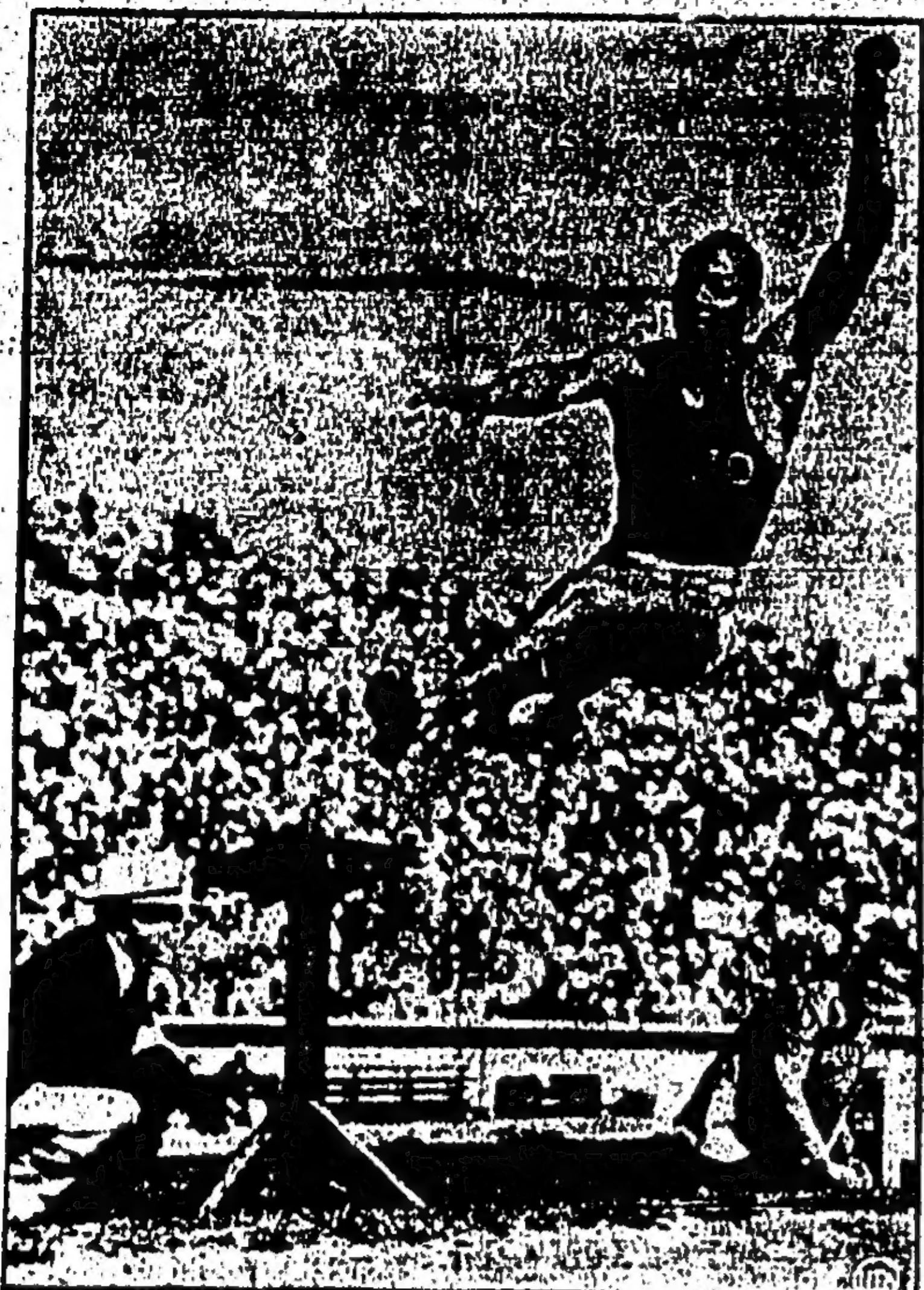
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### TOURISTS DRAW

#### SOUTH AFRICANS NOW UNBEATABLE

#### CRICKET TEST AT MANCHESTER

London, July 30. A. D. Nourse, brought into the team in the place of J. J. Siddle, played an enterprising innings in the Fourth Test match at Old Trafford, where England and South Africa drew, thus leaving the tourists with one victory to their credit with one match to go.

After England had declared their second innings closed at 231 for six wickets, the South Africans made no attempt to score the runs requiring, as they did, 271 to win in three hours and 45 minutes.

After losing Rowan and Viljoen, the hero of the first innings, Mitchell and Nourse became associated but although they scored off the loose balls they were disinclined to force the pace. Nourse, however, played an enterprising innings and the pair sent up the 150 made in 195 minutes.

Nourse took 55 minutes for his first fifty. At the close of play the South Africans had 169 for two wickets, both of which fell to Robins. The innings lasted 225 minutes.

Scores: ENGLAND.—1ST. INNS. 357

SOUTH AFRICA.—1ST. INNS. 318

ENGLAND.—2ND. INNS.

Smith, L.b.w., Crisp 0

Bakewell, b Langton 54

Barber, b Vincent 44

Hammond, not out 63

Leyland, c Mitchell b Vincent 37

Robins, c Wade b Vincent 14

Tate, b Vincent 0

Wyatt, not out 15

Extras 4

Total (for 6 wks. decld.) 231

Bowling Analysis

O. M. R. W.

Crisp 11 0 43 1

Bell 1 0 3 0

Langton 25 2 80 1

Vincent 20 0 78 4

Dalton 4 0 23 0

SOUTH AFRICA.—2ND. INNS.

Rowan, h.w., b Robins 49

Mitchell, not out 48

### MISS BRITAIN IV UNDER WAY

#### NEW SPEEDBOAT CHALLENGER

#### BEING BUILT AT NORTHAM

A British speed-boat of entirely new and daringly original design may be the next challenger for the Harmsworth motor-boat trophy, now held by the United States.

The News Chronicle understands that an English challenger is being built at Northam, Southampton, and that its construction is well advanced.

Closest secrecy is being maintained. All that is known is that the boat is of the most unorthodox design.

When completed, it will probably be taken from Southampton to an isolated spot for secret trials.

The challenger would become Miss Britain IV., and would participate in the international race for the trophy at Detroit next year.

Miss Britain III., raced by Mr. Hubert Scott-Paine, was narrowly defeated by Commodore Gar Wood, in Miss America X., in September, 1933. After, on her return to England, smashing the British sea mile record at Poole, Miss Britain III., which cost £25,000, burst into flames and was burned out.

Viljoen, L.b.w., Robins	10
Nourse, not out	63
Extras	9

Total (for 2 wks.) 109

Fall of wickets:—1 (Rowan) for 0; 2 (Viljoen) for 168.

Bowling Analysis

O. M. R. W.

Bowes 15 1 34 1

Tate 9 2 20 0

Hammond 5 0 15 0

Verity 20 10 24 1

Robins 19 8 31 2

Leyland 13 4 28 0

Bakewell 8 0 8 0

### RESULTS AT A GLANCE.

#### COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

Yorkshire (421) beat Notts (232 and 288 for 8 wks.) on first innings.

Kent (579 for 4 wks. dec. and 80 for 0 wks.) beat Surrey (290 and 388) by ten wickets.

Leicestershire (444 and 60 for 0 wks.) beat Worcestershire (344 and 157) by ten wickets.

Warwickshire (298 and 288 for 4 wks. dec.) beat Glamorgan (255 and 188) by 123 runs.

Sussex (382 and 99 for 4 wks.) beat Gloucestershire (187 and 290) by six wickets.

Lancashire (239 and 164 for 4 wks.) beat Hampshire (125 and 347) on first innings.

### Local Bowls Contests To-day

#### SEMI-FINAL OF PAIRS EVENT

#### TWO SINGLES GAMES

Postponed on account of the heavy rain last Wednesday's Lawn Bowls programme is to be played off this afternoon.

In the Pairs Championship M. J. Medina and J. Cavanagh, of the Craignower Cricket Club, will meet S. Eccleshall and J. Shepherd, the Civil Service-Police combination, in the semi-final round on the Kowloon B.G.C. green.

Two matches are also to be played in the Singles Championship to-day. A. M. Holland, of the Kowloon B.G.C., is down to play E. el Arcull, of the Craignower C.C., on the Civil Service C.C. green, and F. Cullen, of the Kowloon Dock R.C., will meet A. Hyde-Lay, of the Kowloon Cricket Club, on the Club de Recreo green.

### MORE AMAZING GOLF

#### JIM FERRIER IN AUSTRALIA

#### RECORD ROUND PLAYED

The most remarkable golf ever seen in Queensland was played by "Jim" Ferrier, of Sydney, in two rounds of 64 and 63 in the Queensland amateur championship at Teerongilly last month, when he defeated A. H. College thirteen up and twelve to play in the semi-final.

It was considered to be Ferrier's best performance of a brilliant career. His mastery of the game was almost unbelievable, and his aggregate of 127 was fifteen under the par of the course, which is 71 for over 6,400 yards.

Ferrier's feat cannot be recognised as a record, as the figures were not recorded in a stroke round, but they must be regarded as the best scores ever made in Brisbane. His 64 in the morning was two strokes below C. Brown's record for the course, and equalled Gene Sarazen's 64 against a similar par of 71 at the Royal Queensland Club's course.

Ferrier's afternoon round of 63 set a new record for golf in Queensland. His cards were:—

First Round:—Out, 4, 4, 4, 3, 4, 3, 3, 4, 4. Total, 32.

In: 3, 3, 3, 4, 3, 5, 4, 4, 3. Total, 32.

Second Round:—Out, 4, 3, 4, 3, 4, 2, 4, 3, 4. Total, 31.

In: 4, 4, 3, 3, 4, 4, 3, 3, 4. Total, 32.

Ferrier's first round contained seven "birdies" and an "eagle," and in the afternoon he had eight "birdies." He thus beat par at 16 holes in two rounds.

In the other match, G. C. Rawald (N.S.W.) beat D. Jenkinson, two up and one.

Ferrier beat Rawald in the final the next day four and two.

The sixteenth annual R.N. and R.M. championships will be held at Wimbledon on July 31, August 1 and 2.

### LEADERS ONLY SECURE FIVE POINTS

#### YOUNG RESERVE BATSMAN SHINES FOR THE NORTHERNERS

#### HUGE SCORE BY KENT AGAINST SURREY AT THE OVAL

London, July 30.

After scoring a first innings total of 421 runs in their match against Notts at Sheffield in the County Cricket Championship, Yorkshire, who had secured a lead of nearly 200 runs, was unable to force home her advantage and at the close of play had to be satisfied with points for a lead on first innings.

The absence of their best players from Sheffield was probably responsible for their failure to win, particularly as their bowlers, Bowes and Verity, were included among those whose services were required by their country at Old Trafford.

However, the exclusion from the side of such prominent batsmen as Barber and Leyland made it necessary for the county to call upon the reserves and this gave Glibb an opportunity to reveal his potentialities. The youngster played the best innings of his career and knocked up 167 runs without losing his wicket, beating even the brilliance of Sutcliffe who scored 135 runs for Yorkshire, whose first innings totalled 421.

Yorkshire's score had been made in reply to a total of 232 which Notts put up in their innings. Of these Keeton contributed 120, his first century of the season. In their second innings Notts had 286 runs for eight wickets when stumps were drawn.

#### WOOLLEY STILL IN FORM

Frank Woolley, in his 45th year, is still capable of making runs and he demonstrated this at the Oval where Kent beat the home county by ten wickets in a match in which A. Sandham took his benefit.

Kent rattled up the huge score of 679 runs for eight wickets declared, Woolley scoring 229 and Fagg 111. Surrey's reply to this total was 250, Freeman taking five for 99. In the follow-on Surrey scored 358, Barling being responsible for 118.

Kent knocked off the 80 runs without loss.

Leicestershire also gained a ten-wicket victory over Worcestershire in the match at Leicester, where the visitors made 344 runs in their first innings. Quisic contributed 101 and Martin 124 while Smith took six of the wickets for 77 runs.

Leicestershire replied with a score of 444, Armstrong making 151. Following a second innings collapse by Worcestershire who were dismissed for 187, Leicestershire made 60 runs without losing a wicket.

#### CHAMPIONS ONLY DRAW

Lancashire, the champion county, failed to reach a decision in their fixture against Hampshire at Southampton and took first innings points in a drawn match.

The Northerners dismissed their opponents for 125 runs. Shibs taking seven for 48 and then themselves compiled a total of 230.

Hampshire recovered in their second innings and, with McCorkell scoring 160, had 347 runs on the board when

### ALLISON'S STRONG START

#### AGAINST PERRY IN DAVIS CUP

#### BUT CHAMPION IS SUPREME

London, July 30. In beating Wilmer Allison in the final match of the Davis Cup Competition Challenge Round at Wimbledon, Fred Perry played spectacular tennis.

Allison served, drove and volleyed grandly for the first three sets, but he was not able to hold Perry after that. It was not until the fourth set that Perry loosened his big guns and he then drove and volleyed spectacularly.

After losing the first set he won the second and third, and then fourth when Allison countered with a great stand in an endeavour to retrieve a lost situation.

The American pulled up to 3-6, but then lost two of the most brilliant and longest rallies of the match.

Perry won by 4-6, 6-4, 7-5, 6-3, after H. W. Austin had beaten Donald Budge 6-2, 6-2, 6-8, 7-5, by producing the greatest tennis of his career to avenge his Wimbledon defeat.—Reuter.



Appropriately enough A. Sandham, who scored his 100th century recently, took his benefit in the match between Surrey and Kent at the Oval.

### Former H.K. Champion Sees Wimbledon

#### MRS. JAMES STILL PLAYING

(By "Veritas").

Wimbledon, July 5. Half an hour before the men's singles final was due to begin to-day I met Mrs. James, 1933 ladies singles and doubles tennis champion of Hongkong, outside of the main entrance to the Centre Court.

Mrs. James had come up from Pailinton to see the Big Match and I found her looking and feeling very fit. She was keenly interested to hear about old friends of the tennis courts in Hongkong and said that it was possible she might return to the Colony some day.

Mrs. James is still playing tennis although she has not yet participated in any open tournament of note. However, she is entering for her club championships in August, where, she said, the standard of play is fairly good, but does not quite reach the best in Hongkong.

She wished to be remembered to all friends in Hongkong and added "The best of luck to the Hongkong ladies in the Interport this year."

Mrs. James is herself an old Interporter. She first played in 1929 and again in 1931. She won the ladies singles title of the Colony in 1933 after twice before reaching the final, and in the same year she carried off the ladies' doubles championship.

Her late husband, Mr. C. P. F. James was one time hon. secretary of the Hongkong Lawn Tennis Association.

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# WOMEN'S SEMI-FINALS AT WIMBLEDON

## HELEN JACOBS WINS COMFORTABLY

### Mrs. Helen Moody Gives A Great Display

By H. S. SCRIVENER

London, July 5.

Wimbledon's Women's Singles Championship is bound to revert to America, for the finalists who emerged yesterday are Mrs. Helen Moody and Miss Jacobs.

The last time they met was in the final of the U.S.A. Championship in 1933 when Mrs. Moody retired in favour of Miss Jacobs with the score at 6-3, 2-6, 3-0, against her and was out of tournament play until she came this year to England to compete at a few meetings before trying her luck once more at Wimbledon.

Mrs. Moody is popular with English crowds (apart from her good looks) because of her serene and un-demonstrative behaviour, and her survival to the final yesterday at the expense of another equally popular Wimbledon favourite, Miss Hartigan, of Australia, was hailed with shouts of joy as well as the clapping of hands.

Before this happened we saw Miss Jacobs beat Mrs. Moody in one of the latest semi-finals ever seen on the centre court. Both are players who rely mainly on safety-first and wearing-down tactics. Both lived up to the proceedings occasionally by volleying, for both are good volleyers, and why they do it more often I am quite at a loss to understand. However, this is entirely by the way. I need only recount that for six games they played the "wait-and-see" game more or less industriously but not too conspicuously well, that after that Miss Jacobs, with the score at 3-3, started to tighten up her chopping game and developed an accuracy which became more and more relentless as time went on, whereas Mrs. Moody went to put it quite plainly, more or less to pieces. Which just shows what a funny game lawn tennis is.

#### PAST HISTORY

I am told that Mrs. Moody has not lost a set since Wimbledon last year, and that is possibly the reason why she was seeded No. 2, but it is significant that she then lost to Miss Hartigan, who was beaten by Miss Jacobs. Going a little further back, Miss Jacobs and Mrs. Moody have each won matches against each other at Wimbledon, and Mrs. Moody has been a finalist like Miss Jacobs, but yesterday Miss Jacobs was on the day, the dominant player. After 3-3 in the first set, she did not lose another game, and for serenity she is just about Mrs. Moody's equal.

Let us now proceed to praise Mrs. Moody once again. She gave us another gorgeous display of what American tennis can do when it is really confident that she can score winners. She found that Miss Hartigan's second service was vulnerable and proceeded to fire at the chalk in a manner which gave the line-men the time of their lives, and had an obviously unsettling effect upon Miss Hartigan. Nevertheless, I say with conviction that Miss Hartigan's game was a fine one. She might have said with perfect propriety, "Don't blame me, blame Mrs. Moody!"

The difference between the game in which she beat Miss Moody and yesterday's battle was that against Miss Moody she was able to call the time more or less often, whereas against Mrs. Moody she was much less frequently able to do so—though she managed it pretty often—and was thus lured into "breasting" that very expressive golfing phrase—with frequent fatal results.

#### CURIOUS RUN OF PLAY

The run of the play was distinctly curious, and I must confess to being more or less unable to fathom its real significance. With great reluctance, I must, for want of a better excuse, since Miss Hartigan twice needed some sort of an excuse, put it down to the present-day instability of youth. These sententious remarks are prompted by the fact that Miss Hartigan led by 3-1 in the first set and did not get another game in it, and by 3-0 in the second set and did not get another game in that one either. Yet she played championship lawn tennis, though not quite regularly

enough for the occasion; Mrs. Moody played it almost—I will not say quite—in her own inimitable fashion. I am hoping for a great final. My one regret is that there is not an Englishwoman in it, as there ought to have been.

#### MEN'S DOUBLES

While these things were happening on the Centre Court, the Australian pair, Crawford and Quist, were having a stormy passage in the men's doubles against the only remaining French pair, Bousias and Bernard, since Borotra and Brugnon, beaten by Hughes and Tuckey, are out.

The Australians won in three decidedly hectic sets by 6-4, 9-7, 12-11, and will now oppose the two brightly young Americans, Budge and Mako, in the semi-final.

These two best Wood and Maier in the doubles match of the day by three sets to two (6-3, 6-3, 6-3). It was a match which America ought really to have won sooner, but Wood and Maier appear to revel in being two sets down. That is where they were before beating Hopman and Prens in the previous round.

Budge and Mako were two sets up against them and had a lead which was a service in hand, but failed and were beaten. Maier and partner then proceeded to win the fourth set fairly comfortably, but in the fifth Budge and Mako, almost writhing under this set-back, went right out for the kill. They were not losing any more service games, and the winning of Wood's service for 3-1 meant the match at 6-3.

#### ENGLISH "HOPES"

We may see another pan-American final in this event, for Allison and Van Ryn beat the South Africans, Murgrove and Musgrove, without much difficulty; but the two English "hopes," Hughes and Tuckey, who have to meet them, scored a significantly clean-cut victory against Andrews and Rogers.

It was left, however, for the women's doubles to furnish the song of the afternoon—the defeat of Miss Dearman and Miss Lyle by Mrs. Dearman and Mrs. Kirk. We are reminded of the house that Jack built in the days of our childhood. "This is the pair that beat the pair that beat the pair," and so on.

I have already described, I fear somewhat laboriously, the events which led up to the defeat of Madame Henriotin and Mrs. Andrews, seeded No. 1, by Miss Dearman and Miss Lyle, and now they are out. What is going to happen to Mrs. Haylock and Mrs. Kirk? I tremble to think, and perhaps Miss Stammers and Miss James, who beat Mrs. Jedzejowska and Miss Noel fairly handsomely, are trembling just a little bit likewise.

#### WOMEN'S SINGLES

##### SEMI-FINAL ROUND

Mrs. F. B. Moody (U.S.A.) beat Miss J. Hartigan (Australia), 6-3, 6-3, 6-0.  
Miss H. Jacobs (U.S.A.) beat Mrs. S. S. Spering (Denmark), 6-3, 6-0.

#### MEN'S DOUBLES

##### FOURTH ROUND

W. L. Allison and J. Van Ryn beat M. Berriman and W. Mosgrove, 6-1, 10-8, 6-0.  
G. F. Hughes and C. B. D. Tuckey beat E. B. Andrews and G. L. Rogers, 6-3, 6-2, 6-3.

#### WOMEN'S DOUBLES

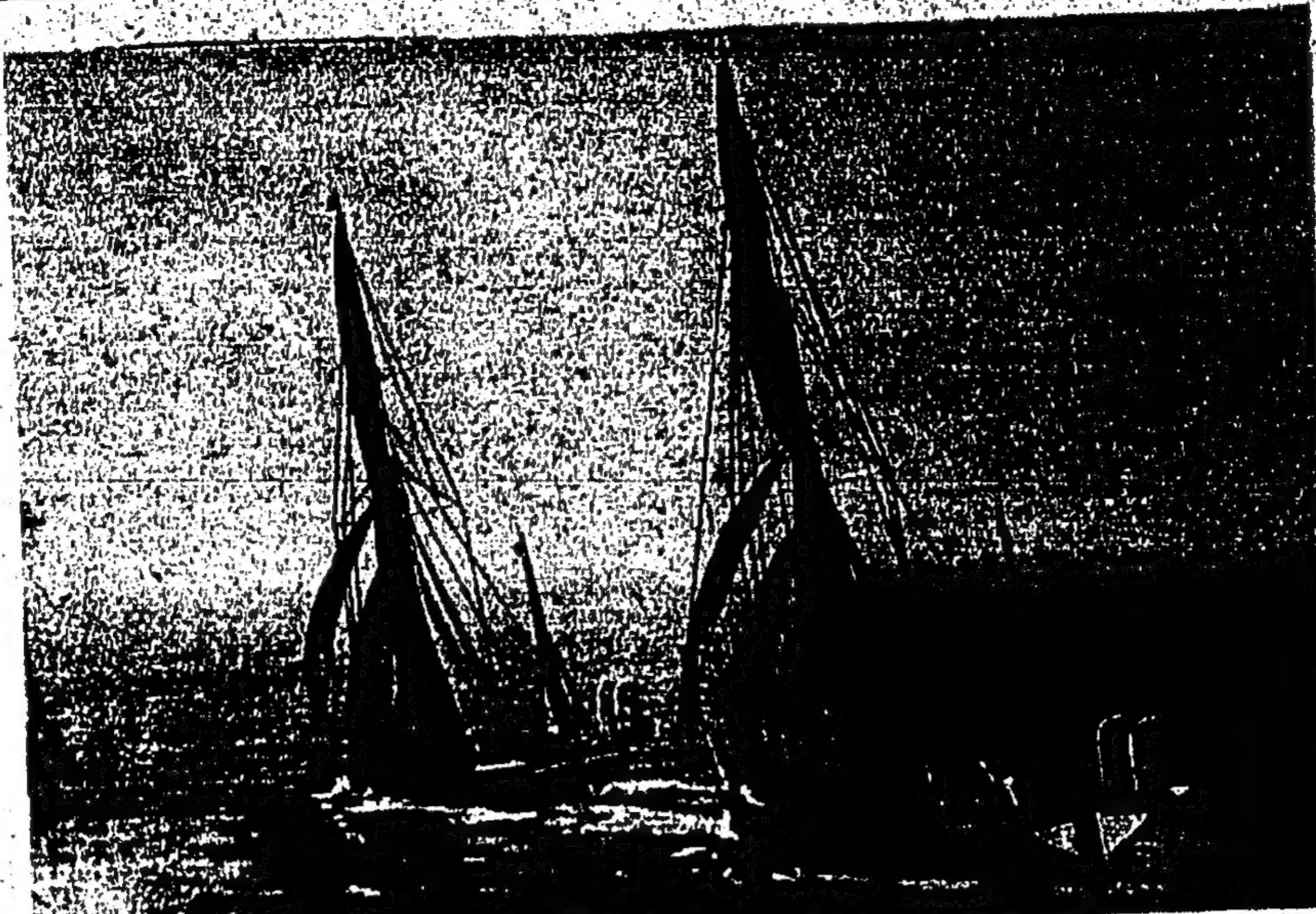
##### FOURTH ROUND

Miss K. E. Stammers and Miss F. James beat Miss J. Jedzejowska and Miss S. Noel, 6-3, 6-3.  
Mrs. R. F. Haylock and Mrs. J. S. Kirk beat Miss E. Dearman and Miss N. M. Lyle, 2-6, 7-5, 6-4.

#### MIXED DOUBLES

##### FOURTH ROUND

H. C. Hopman and Mrs. H. C. Hopman beat H. W. Austin and Miss A. M. York, 11-9, 8-6, 6-2.



The Sailing Season is in full swing and many races are arranged during summer time. The above picture shows a view from Thames from the race from Gravesend down the Thames and back.

## NEEDLE MATCH TO BE PLAYED

### IN "B" DIVISION TENNIS LEAGUE

### CHINESE R. C. & SOUTH CHINA

The two leading teams in the "B" Division of the local Lawn Tennis League, the Chinese R.C. and the South China Athletic Association, are due to meet this afternoon on the latter's courts at King's Park.

The Hongkong players are the present leaders of the Division but merely by virtue of having played and won one match more than their Kowloon rivals. The top club won five encounters and secured an aggregate of 41 games against 34, while the Kowloon side won four matches and 32½ games to two and a half.

The programme for this afternoon is as follows:

Indian R.C. v. Hongkong C.C.  
University v. Civil Service  
Kowloon C.C. v. Club de Recreation  
South China v. Chinese R.C.

#### LEAGUE TABLE

The league table for the "B" Division is appended:

Chinese R.C.	P.	W.	D.	L.	P.	A.	Pts.
Chinese R.C.	4	8	—	—	41	34	19
South China	4	4	—	—	32½	22½	8
Recreation	4	3	—	—	27½	17½	6
Civil Service	4	3	—	—	23½	13½	6
Hongkong C.C.	4	2	—	—	19½	10½	4
Kowloon C.C.	4	1	—	—	14	10	3
University	4	1	—	—	11	16	2
Indian R.C.	4	—	—	—	9½	29½	1
C.R.A.	4	—	—	—	7	32½	0½

Leicester Rugby Club made a profit last season of £372—an increase of £271 over the previous year. The club's deficiency is estimated at £5,083.

C. E. Malloy and Miss M. Healey beat M. Berriman and Miss E. H. Harvey, 6-4, 6-3.  
A. K. Quist and Miss J. Jedzejowska beat C. F. Aeschliman and Miss G. A. Clarke-Jerrols, 6-3, 6-5.

V. B. McGrath and Miss J. Hartigan beat H. Nishimura and Miss S. Noel, 6-3, 6-4.  
O. von Cramm and Miss R. Spering beat D. P. Turnbull and Gloria L. Valerio, 6-4, 6-6, 6-1.

Hopman and Mrs. Hopman beat P. H. D. Wilde and Miss N. E. Stammers, 3-6, 6-1, 6-2.  
P. J. Perry and Miss D. E. Round beat Malloy and Miss Healey, 7-5, 6-3, 6-1.

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### COMMISSIONER'S RULING

Albany, N.Y., July 18.

A new life is opening for Edwin C. (Alabama) Pitts, paroled Sing Sing convict and former star baseball player of the Penitentiary baseball team.

Following the ruling by Kenesaw Mountain Landis, Commissioner of Baseball and known as the "Supreme Court" of baseball, allowing him to play the game for the Albany team of the International League, Pitts has signed a brand new playing contract with the club.

Landis overruled the decision of the committee of the International League, which decided that Pitts could not play in the League because he was an ex-convict.

The only stipulation made by Landis, which makes the contract different from the original one Pitts was going to sign when the International League commissioners stepped in, was that Pitts must not play in any exhibition games. The object of this was to prevent any possible exploitation of Pitts as a curiosity, in view of his past prison life.

## EXCHANGE RATES

	July 20.	July 30.
Paris	75.3/64	75.1/64
Geneva	16.17½	16.17
Berlin	12.29	12.29
Athens	518	517
Milan	60½	60.7/10
Shanghai	1/6.1/10	1/6
New York	4.86½	4.86.1/10
Amsterdam	7.31½	7.31
Vienna	28	28
Brussels	119.0/10	119.0
Bucharest	620	625
Madrid	36.1/10	36.7/32
Lisbon	110½	110½
Hongkong	2/1.5/10	2/1½
Brussels	29.31	29.31
Montevideo	39½	39½
Belgrade	217	217
Yokohama	4.96½	4.96
Manila	1/2.5/32	1/2.5/32
Helmingfors	228½	228½
Rio	4½	4½
Silver (Spot)	30.3/10	30.3/10
Silver (forward)	30½	30½
War Loan	106½	106½

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## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

### MARKET IRREGULAR YESTERDAY

New York, July 20. The following reports on the New York Stock market have been received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz:

The Wall Street Journal report on yesterday's market: Stocks to-day were irregular and traders took profits, though rally, however, were bought heavily. U.S. Steel, common, reached a high point for the year in expectation that the forthcoming dividend announcement would be favourable. Stocks on the curb exchange rallied, being led by oil shares. Bonds were upward.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: The market developed a mixed trend, but the under-current on the whole was firm. National Power & Light Company's shares earned 82 cents per share for the year ending June 30, as against 94 cents per share for the previous year. Demand deposits at present total \$15,554,000,000. Business failures for the past week amounted to 221.

New York and Chicago commodity reports received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz: Cotton: The first private estimate published indicates a crop of 11,750,000 bales.

Wheat: The market was easy on cables indicating a favourable European crop and on the late weakness of the mill markets. Sharply reduced private estimates are forecast and we expect buying on any further easiness of corn.

Rubber: It is reported that an effort was made by Trade Interests to depress the market at the close in order to enable them to purchase spots. Consumer demand is improving.

## REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow-Jones Averages:	July 20.	July 30.
30 Industrials	120.55	125.57
20 Railroads	35.25	34.95
20 Utilities	23.28	22.90
40 Bonds	98.98	98.85
11 Commodity Index	55.22	54.91

## WATER LEVELS

### FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

Place of Observation	W. L.	Lowest W. L.	July 20	July 30
West River at Shing	+41.0	0	31.1	32.1
North River at Tinnyuen	+24.5	0	14.9	12.1
East River at Shamshai	+17.5	—	14.1	14.1
North River at Shing	+12.5	—	10.9	9.9

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(Continued from Page 6.)  
literary technique but to the royal ignorance of spelling.

Lord North did not desert his King. He sat on at his post in the House of Commons, leading faithfully the paid agents of the Crown to vote for the continuance of the war with America. He sat there while Jefferson across the Atlantic drew up the Declaration of Independence. He sat there after the defeat of Saratoga with tears streaming down his face at the withering onslaught of Burke and Fox. He sat there until 1782, when Chatham was dead and half the world was mobilised against us and the United States were lost for ever.

And Burke? He lived on till Tory blood flowed through his hardening arteries, he lived to fight as obstinately for war against liberty in France as ever North had fought against freedom in America. He lived to number George III. among the warmest of his admirers and to decline from him the title of Lord Beaconsfield.

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**CHAPTER XXV**

Violet Mercer was waiting her moment when she saw Michael ride past. It was the first time she had caught a glimpse of him since his accident and since Katherine's amazing disclosure. Katherine had been gone two days now. Stanley Mercer was taking steps toward the end of the road, now so anxious to attain the attainment of the astonishing marriage ceremony a few weeks before.

"The man must be a most horrible villain," Violet said to herself, "riding at the earth about the roots of a Dorothy Perkins. And yet he doesn't look like one in the least." She was rather ashamed of her earlier enthusiasm for Michael.

The whole thing was definitely queer. First the boy had engaged himself to Sally Moon. That made him appear a fortune hunter. Then he had run off with Katherine on what seemed now a most cruel impulse, only to behave as though the whole thing had never happened at all.

Violet stood up, brushing her earth-stained hands impatiently together. She ought to go to see him, ought to find out how he stood in the matter before Stan turned the affair over to Adrianson, their discreet lawyer friend.

She washed her hands at the sink in the gleaming small kitchen and the porch, shelling peas for the children's lunch, that she was going to walk up the road a bit. Michael's horse had been headed in the direction of the riding club. And he had been alone. It would be a good time to talk to him.

As Violet Mercer turned into the lane that ran beside the old shingled house she could see the tall figure of the man she sought, standing in the doorway of the stable. A blue September haze hung over everything. Yellow leaves here and there drifted down the muddy paths. There were wild asters and golden rod blazing in the meadows. Gumnach made a scarlet tapestry on the hills.

"Good morning!"

Michael whirled, his eyes clouded, his muscles taut.

"Good morning," he said without smiling. These days were difficult ones to be got through. Strange people were always coming up to him and being brisk and hearty. He had to fend them off as best he could.

Something in the wariness of his attitude put Violet off. All at once she was conscious that her dress lacked dignity. It was not for her to meddle in Katherine's affairs. She said rather lamely, "About the horses—for the little girl. She hasn't been riding lately."

Michael bowed. His tone was formal, aloof.

"Do you mind seeing Jerry, my assistant, about that? I haven't been well lately." He passed his hand over his eyes and, with another stiff little bow, went into the house.

Jerry was at her elbow. Somehow Violet managed to say something coherent to him, to walk away. But her brain was whirling.

"Good heavens!" she cried to herself. "What if that should be the explanation of it all? What if he doesn't really know what happened?"

You heard of such things. To the healthy person such a possibility seemed extremely far-fetched. But Violet knew it was not out of the bounds of reason.

He had been struck on the head, perhaps. The newspaper account had said "multiple bruises." Who could tell what damage had been done? She walked swiftly toward her own house, eager to put through a telephone call to her husband.

"Stan, have you got in touch with Adrianson yet?"

His slow, reassuring voice answered her. "Have an appointment with him at two. Why? Anything happened?"

She dared not talk over the telephone. Everyone said the exchange operators listened. "Can you postpone it?" she asked. "I think I've hit on something. It may be a hunch. I don't know."

"I don't understand why you want me to do it so quietly," pointed Sally Moon. "Old Ruthie down at the Inncock News has been calling up every day to see if I've any date to give her. She's anxious to run the survey of the wedding, but she doesn't dare say a word about it as long as I tell her to hold off. And probably everyone's talking about me. Probably they say the thing's off."

"I have my reasons," Mr. Moon said solemnly. If Sally weren't so thought up in her own affairs, he supposed she would be able to figure out the problem for herself. He wanted all the votes he could get for village trustee and the election was next week. With a big wedding going on and Sally insisting on getting all her flowers and catering things from the village, the election would be certain to go against him. He knew Inncock. He hadn't been president of the bank for 20 years without learning a good deal about the way the village worked.

He had several reasons for not telling Sally this. The first was that she would not consider the argument weighty enough. She had her own way of over-riding all his objections. The second was that an air of mystery impressed her more than straight-forwardness. She was inclined to be a bit mysterious herself. "Sneaky," Mr. Moon called it. Like her mother's people. None of the Moons had been sneaky—all open and above-board like himself. Still, a man had to protect his interests against the depredations of his in-laws. Women had no consciences whatever when they wanted their own way.

He wouldn't be sorry to see Sally married. She'd been a bit of a problem since her mother died. Cocktails, flirtations, all kinds of craziness; her father told himself. This young fellow was good with horses. Maybe he'd hold the whip over Sally as well. He chuckled at the thought.

What are you chortling about? Sally wanted to know rather angrily. Really her father was being too stuffy about this. It made her tired. But since he held the purse strings there was no talking him. And she wanted a trochee that would put everyone's eye out.

"Nothing," He changed the subject hastily. "You going into town to-day to shop?"

"Yes, always a good way to divert her. If she's ever spotted at the thought of trying on clothes of watching mannequins parade (because this time she was going to the really expensive places and have the very best) and of choosing hats and shoes and cobwebby stockings to supplement a lovely dress, in boxes and bags in her room. What ever you might say about Daddy Moon, Sally reflected, you couldn't accuse him of being stingy.

She had read in last night's newspaper of Katherine Stryker's departure for the west. And she had felt a tiny prick of relief. While Katherine had been around Sally hadn't felt entirely easy about Michael. He had been restive at times. Sally had suspected in the beginning that he was attracted to Katherine, although why anyone would prefer that cool young woman to her own rather-buxom self, Sally could not imagine.

Well, Michael was more tractable since he'd been ill. He really seemed to depend on her these days. She housed him around as she hadn't dared to do before.

Her cousin, Ansel, was coming on from Syracuse for the wedding. And Michael had been so vague about providing a best man that Sally had hired Ansel to bring her fiancé (expense paid to serve. Ansel's young man was a fledgling mining engineer with a brand new diploma. Sally, marrying a title, felt very superior.

Well, Ansel and Joseph would arrive on Tuesday, and they would have a rehearsal Tuesday night. Daddy Moon had agreed to that. The wedding would be on Wednesday, and invitations would go out by hand the day before. It was, Sally told herself, a pretty queer way to do things, but her father had some crazy notion in his mind. It didn't do to argue with him when he was like this.

She longed to show the news from the house. But she didn't dare. Well, all the old cats who had been nasty to her would know soon enough. Let them gnash their teeth. She'd snub them if she ever met them on the street.

Another thing she had to do to-day. She had to stop at Tiffany's and choose a platinum band that Michael could pay for later. He didn't want to go into the city, he said. She was having to arrange everything. She had even sent out a tailor who was to measure him for correct morning clothes.

She'd thought of everything. There couldn't possibly be a hitch in the proceedings now. A week from Wednesday she would be Lady Garden.

(To Be Continued).

**CINEMA NEWS**

**NOTES FROM THE THEATRES**

The new programme headliner at the Queen's Theatre starting to-day is Columbia's "Blind Date," an exhilarating human comedy romance featuring Ann Sothern with Neil Hamilton and Paul Kelly as her two rivals. Adapted to the screen by Ewald Hill and directed by Roy W. Neill, the film relates the sad and tale of a young automobile mechanic so engrossed in feathering the nest of his home-to-be that he allows the bird to fly. The direction of the bird is the arms of a wealthy playboy whom she meets on a "blind date." Complications of a serio-comic and romantic nature set in but are ultimately solved to the satisfaction of all concerned. The beautiful Ann Sothern is seen as the romantic "Kitty Taylor." Fans will remember her in "Melody in Spring," "The Heiress" and "The Party's Over." Neil Hamilton enacts the "blind date" while Paul Kelly portrays the simple, hard-headed mechanic boy-friend. Others in the cast include Mickey Rooney, Spencer Charters, Jane Darwell, Geneva Mitchell and Tyler Brooke.

"The Good Fairy"

Hans Joby, Hungarian and former major in the Austro-Hungarian Army, acted as technical director on the production of "The Good Fairy," which is now at the King's Theatre, with Margaret Sullivan and Herbert Marshall in the starring roles, and with its scenes laid in the city of Budapest. Joby, who owns one of the finest reference libraries in the United States, is an authority on life and customs of the Balkan States and all Central European countries and was formerly technical director for British International Pictures in London and the famous UFA company in Berlin. The cast supporting Miss Sullivan and Marshall includes Frank Morgan, Reginald Owen, John Halliday, Cesar Romero and June Clayworth. Adapted from the stage play by Franz Molnar, the picture was directed by William Wyler.

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**RUBINSTEIN CONCERT**

**TO-NIGHT'S RECITAL AT HONGKONG HOTEL**

Owing to the phenomenal success of Arthur Rubinstein's second piano recital on Monday evening, when the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden was crowded to capacity and many people were unable to gain admittance, this artist is giving a third concert this evening in the same hall at 9.30 p.m. This is positively his last appearance, as he sails for Shanghai tomorrow.

For his last recital, Rubinstein has chosen a different type of programme. The first half consists of Bach's Chaconne, and one of Chopin's greatest works, the B flat Minor Sonata, with the Funeral March and third movement. The second half is devoted to modern pieces, by Debussy, Ravel, Scriabin, Prokofiev, Poulenc, Villa-Lobos and da Falla.

Judging by the enthusiasm shown on Monday, his third concert will be another event to be remembered in the Colony.

who participate in the Easter Service, which is chanted entirely without instrumental accompaniment by voices to whom the ritual is an inborn tradition. Led by a picked group of sixteen men and twelve women, the chorale, which is the basis of the service, is a high point of the religious song with their rendition of the Easter hymn, "Christus Vincit," or "Christ is Risen." The hymn, which is a beautiful setting of the Easter story, is a high point of the religious song with their rendition of the Easter hymn, "Christus Vincit," or "Christ is Risen." The hymn, which is a beautiful setting of the Easter story, is a high point of the religious song with their rendition of the Easter hymn, "Christus Vincit," or "Christ is Risen."

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## GIGANTIC DYKE

120,000 MEN FIGHT THE FLOODS

Peiping, July 30. Reports submitted by the Red Cross Society authorities say that the flood relief workers' resources have been severely taxed by the calls from the flood areas in Shantung and Honan. In Shantung alone 380 villages are submerged, with thousands of destitute seeking shelter on dykes, some of which are in a most precarious condition.

Over 1,000 dead bodies have been recovered in Shantung, while a rough estimate shows that about 250,000 are homeless in Shantung and Honan, which have a total population of about 59,238,170 people.

Red Cross officials are busy organising relief camps for the thousands of homeless. Wahien, Changyuan, Lanfeng and Kiangcheng are the places in the two provinces which have suffered most.

Shantung's anxiety on account of Mei Lake has not been relieved for a three foot rise has been recorded in the past three days.

## Gigantic Barrier

After ten days unceasing work by 120,000 troops and labourers, including thousands of volunteers, the gigantic barrier in northern Kiangsu known as the Huang Ta Dyke is now nearing completion. The dyke has been erected to prevent the Yellow River flooding northern Kiangsu. It is 120 miles long.

## Shantung Tragedy

Nanking, July 30. The tragic revelation that 800 villages were inundated and 2,000 persons drowned in the Chuang-cheng district of West Shantung, when the Yellow River overflowed early in July, was brought by an official who arrived at Taiman with an appeal for assistance, and who said that in the case of one family ten men, women and children died themselves together to prevent being separated, but all were drowned.—*Reuter*.

## Meishan Lake Rises

Suchow, July 30. It is reported that the water in the Meishan Lake continued to rise to-day and yesterday.

The big dyke at North Kiangsu is now in a most dangerous position, and all districts in Northern Districts of the Province are threatened with flood if the water continues to rise for another three days.

The populace at Puihsien, which is on the South Bank of Meishan Lake, is now extremely anxious and all who live in the areas bordering the Canal fear disaster.—*Wah Kiu Yat Po*.

## Yangtze Unchanged

Hankow, July 30. The situation along the Yangtze shows little change, except for a slight rise registered at Wannhsien, Chinkiang and Nanking.

## Relief

Nanking, July 30. Chinese newspapers give prominence to the report that the Government is planning to appropriate a million dollars to flood relief in the Yangtze Valley.

## Kailan Mine Flooded

Tientsin, July 30. The Kailan Mining Administration Mine at Chaokochuang has been partially flooded.

Eleven of the miners are missing and three dead.—*United Press*.

*Reuter* confirms this and adds that the pit was flooded by an inrush of surface flooding, which affected one level.

Rescue work was carried out with the utmost rapidity and medical service was established at the pit head.

## BRITISH FLEET

ADMIRALTY REPLY TO DAILY HERALD

London, July 30. The Admiralty verbally described the *Daily Herald's* story of big hush-hush plans for the rebuilding of the British fleet, under a seven year plan, and at a cost of £150,000,000, as "purely imaginary and based on conjecture," but they have decided to let the matter rest and not make any statement.

The morning papers, however, are of opinion that a large programme of new construction is being planned, though the final decisions may not yet have been made.

The *Morning Post* in the course of an editorial article says that Great Britain is faced with the necessity of having to lay down eleven new capital ships almost simultaneously.

The *News Chronicle* asserts that differences of opinion exist within the Government, and the Admiralty is divided regarding the best method of increasing naval efficiency.

Some experts advocate the gradual elimination of the heavy battleships and others favour the rapid building of pocket battleships of the German type.—*Reuter*.

## MOTOR CASE VERDICT

CENSURE ON EUROPEAN DRIVER OF CAR

A verdict of death by misadventure was returned by a jury at the conclusion of the Coroner's inquiry into the death of a boat girl, Kwok Tai-lam, aged 9, who was knocked down by a car driven by J. E. Gardiner, assistant at Jardine, Matheson and Company, along Causeway Bay Road on July 7.

The inquiry was conducted by Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy, and the Coroner was assisted by a jury comprising Messrs. W. J. D. Roberts (foreman), P. A. Elms and L. D. Fernandes.

The jury also added the following rider: "In view of the driver's knowledge of the state of the brakes of his car, we consider that his speed at that particular spot, and his lack of observation of the road somewhat deserving of censure."

Evidence was given yesterday by Police officers with regard to the condition of the brakes of the car, and the driver, recalled, also deposed to a previous trivial accident, in which a dog belonging to a lady to whom he had given a lift to Hongkong, owing to a breakdown of her car, was injured earlier that same afternoon.

## Tested Brakes

Sergeant C. Blackburn, who went to the scene of the accident with the driver, said that he saw a skid mark about 22ft. 2 ins. long about twelve feet from the south side of the road. A distance of about 35 feet separated the skid mark from the spot where the car stopped. He then proceeded with the driver to Gloucester Road where he tested the brakes of the car. At a speed of about 20 miles an hour the car left a skid of 28ft. 4 ins. with both brakes, and at a speed less than 30 miles an hour a skid was left about 67 feet in length. He then asked the driver to leave the car at the Wanchai Police Station.

Sergeant T. McInnis said that he examined the car, No. 3374, on July 8. It was a Ford sedan with a left-hand steering. The right hand head lamp glass was missing, and there was slight damage to the fender of the radiator. The speedometer was not working. He drove the car in Causeway Bay Road over the scene of the accident. At approximately 20 miles an hour, the foot brake stopped the car 52 feet, and at the same speed the hand brake stopped the car in 65 feet. Both brakes stopped the car in 35 feet. He tried the brakes with a Tapley brake tester, and found that the foot brake showed an efficiency of 41 per cent, the hand brake 29 per cent, and both brakes 48 per cent. On July 9 he adjusted the foot brake, and the brake tester showed an efficiency of 63.5 per cent. The brakes still had a peculiar feel about them. He had the brake drums removed and found that the foot brake linings on the two front wheels were oily, as well as the lining on the rear wheel and the hand brake lining on the left rear wheel. The brake linings on the right rear wheel were in good order. He thought the car was a 1929 Ford. The cause of the inefficiency of the brakes was due to oil and adjustment.

In reply to the foreman of the jury, witness said that if the brakes were normal the car could be stopped in 35 to 40 feet.

## Overhauled in December

Mr. T. Bird, head watchman at the Talkoo Docks, said that the car was his son's property, and had been imported about twelve months ago. So far as he knew the brakes were relined in December last, and on an average once a month at Ah Wai's garage, Wanchai Road.

Lo Wai-ting, master of Ah Wai's garage, said that the car was last brought to his garage about a month before the accident, when he had attended to the greasing and re-filling of the engine oil. The brakes were not then tested, and he did not notice anything unusual about them when he drove the car back to the owner. The grease had got into the brake linings probably through melting owing to the heat.

Mr. Gardiner, recalled, gave evidence of a previous accident that same afternoon, when a dog belonging to Mrs. Crozier was injured. He said that the accident happened on the viaduct of the Tyntam Tuk reservoir, where Mr. and Mrs. Crozier had a breakdown. The dog ran across the road and was knocked down. He took Mrs. Crozier and the dog back to town, but was not driving fast owing to the condition of the dog, and because he thought the brakes were not 100 per cent. good. He was not nervous after the accident to the dog.

Mr. Schofield, in his charge to the jury, mentioned that neither the driver nor the victim of the accident appeared to have been keeping a lookout. The only way the driver could have avoided the accident was by driving slower and braking hard, but the brakes were not fully effective. He was in-

## MAINTENANCE CASE

STUDENT HUSBAND ORDERED TO PAY MONTHLY SUM

"I think it is a very unusual state of affairs," said Mr. Thomson at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon when commenting upon a case in which a young Chinese woman, Pang Ting-ha sued her 21-year-old student husband, Chan Ting-kwong, for maintenance.

At the conclusion of the evidence, Mr. Thomson ordered that the husband pay \$25 a month to his wife. The mother is to have custody of the newly-born child. No order was made for the costs of the case.

Mr. Leo D'Almada, Sr., appeared on behalf of the complainant, while Mr. F. I. Zimmerman appeared for the defence.

At a previous hearing, Mr. D'Almada said that the girl, who was married last October, was turned out of the house by her mother-in-law and husband.

At the commencement of yesterday's hearing, Mr. Zimmerman cross-examined the complainant as to her husband's appeals for her to return.

In asking His Worship to dismiss the case, Mr. Zimmerman said that there was no evidence that the husband had deserted his wife. She left him and he appealed to her to return. She refused to do so.

## Dependent on Parents

Mr. Thomson, however, decided that there was a case to answer and the husband, Chan Ting-kwong, then entered the witness box. He said he was a student at the Ying Wah College, Kowloon. The girl was introduced to him and the marriage arranged by his mother. He got on well with his wife who, however was not sociable. Witness said he had no means of his own and was entirely dependent on his parents.

His parents had promised to look after his wife and himself whilst he was studying. He took a concubine in January, this being arranged by his parents who were willing to pay for her keep.

In answer to Mr. Thomson, he said he received no pocket money, his parents buying him everything. His father had been interested in a medicine shop in Bonham Strand East but was now ruined.

Woo Shi, step-mother of last witness, said she had been married ten years. Her husband was formerly a merchant, but was now independent. For their rents they received \$41 per month. Their three shops had been closed down. The family income did not amount to \$100 per month. Her son's school fees and other expenses amounted to \$10 to \$20 per month. At the conclusion of her evidence, Mr. Thomson decided that the husband pay his wife \$25 a month.

## MONGOLIA BANDIT OUTRAGE

DR. MUELLER RELEASED

Peiping, July 30. A telephone message from Kalgan states that Dr. Mueller has been released and is travelling by car to Kalgan.

Mr. Gareth Jones is still in the hands of the bandits.

The British Embassy has made representations to the Foreign Office, Nanking, and the Military Council, Peiping, concerning Mr. Jones.

Mr. Chin Teh-chun, the Chairman of the Charhar Provincial Government, who is now visiting Peiping, states that he has telegraphed to the magistrates at Kuyuan and Baochang to exert all possible efforts to secure the release of Mr. Jones and Dr. Mueller, who are believed to be still in the hills to the north-east of Paochang.—*Reuter*.

## Servants' Story

Peiping, July 30. The chauffeur and servant who were with Dr. Mueller, and Mr. Gareth Jones have arrived in Kalgan to-day.

They state that they were kidnapped at Kwannakow, 15 miles north-east of Paochang.

Dr. Mueller has telephoned from Paochang announcing his release. Captain Miller, Assistant Military Attaché, left for Kalgan this afternoon.—*Reuter*.

## Dr. Mueller Safe

Peiping, July 30. The news of Dr. Mueller's release has been confirmed.—*United Press*.

formed by the Police that the water hydrant on the road had since been moved, and it was to be fixed on the sea side of the road, and he hoped this would prevent further accidents.

The jury then retired, and brought in their verdict after a short consultation.

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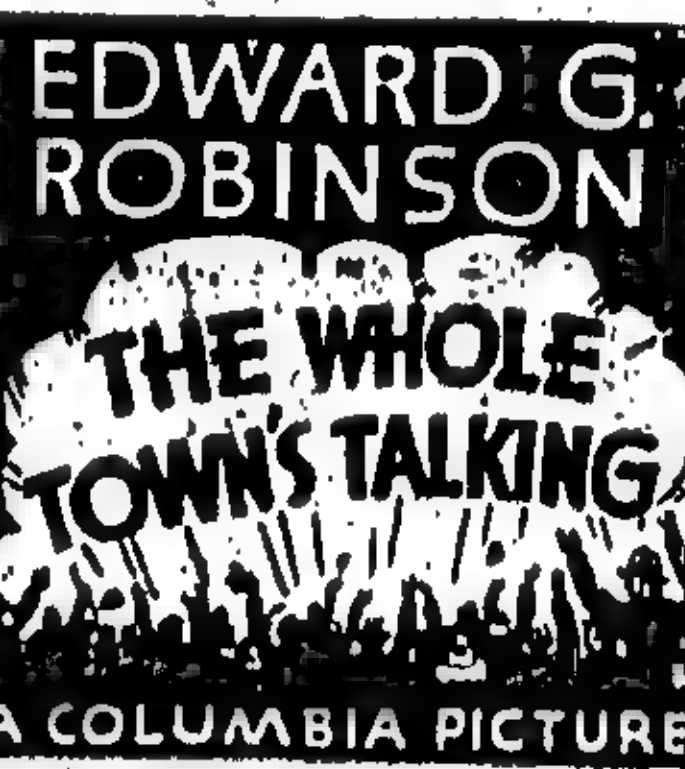
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## ARSON TRIAL ENDS

TWO ACCUSED SENTENCED

Sentences of three years and seven years' hard labour respectively were passed by the Police Judge, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell at the Criminal Sessions yesterday on Ng Yuk-shuen and his uncle, Mr. Keng-chiu who were charged with arson in connection with the fire which broke out at 104 Fuk Wah Street, Shamshuipo in the early hours of May 24.

The first accused was charged with arson with intent to defraud and the second defendant with being an accessory before the fact.

A recommendation to mercy was made by the jury in the case of the first accused, and he was sentenced to three years instead of five which His Lordship said he intended to pass.

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## LITTLE HOPE OF SETTLEMENT

## DELEGATES DESPAIR OF AFRICA PEACE

## BRITAIN WILL GUARD HER INTERESTS

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Geneva, July 30.

Delegates are arriving here to-day prepared to make a despairing effort, when the League of Nations Council meets to-morrow, to avert a war between Italy and Abyssinia.

It is reliably reported that Mr. Anthony Eden, the British Minister for League of Nations affairs and Britain's chief delegate to the Council, has prepared a demand that Italy promise to make no attack upon Abyssinia while negotiations are proceeding.

It is considered significant that the delegates' main hope is the postponing of the collapse of negotiations rather than the solving of the problem.

A United Press staff correspondent, Edward Beattie, on route to Addis Ababa, arrived in Djibouti, French Somaliland, to-day. He found the French troops there unloading artillery and barbed wire from trains which also brought fighting men to the city.

In the event of continued European reverses in Africa the native tribes might get the idea of attacking the whites everywhere, said a French official. That was the reason for the precautions at Djibouti.

It is reliably learned that during the past five months of preparation for an African campaign, the Italian Government has sent 179 ships through the Suez Canal carrying 178,000 troops, civilians and war supplies.

### PROTECTING INTERESTS

Paris, July 30.

Semi-official Egyptian sources state that the British Government is prepared to send troops into Abyssinia to protect British interests and British nationals there, and particularly the Lake Tana region, in the event of an Italian offensive.

The Lake is the headwaters of the Blue Nile and is vital to the irrigation of the Sudan.

### NEAR AGREEMENT

Paris, July 30.

As a result of what is described as "a distinctly useful" hour's talk between Mr. Anthony Eden and M. Poincaré, in which they discussed all sides and angles of the Abyssinia dispute, it is learned that the Anglo-French standpoints are much nearer than they were three weeks ago.

## Grumbling Colonists Are Warned

## STERN MEASURES IN ERITREA

## ITALY'S WORRIES

(Special to "Telegraph")

Rome, July 30.

A vigorous attack against "chatterers" and "people who spread lies" was made to-day by General Graziani, commander-in-chief of the Italian land forces in Africa. An order has been issued and spread throughout Eritrea and Italian Somaliland, and threatens immediate repression to all who complain against the colonial regime.

Meanwhile the High Commissioner of Eritrea, Signor De Bono, has established a special tribunal in Eritrea and has issued a statement declaring that there is no question of an Italian occupation of Abyssinia. In order to take the land from the natives, Italians were being sent to develop the colony for the good of all. He has instituted a lottery in which the best winners receive prizes. —Reuter Special.

## BRITISH OFFICERS VOLUNTEER

## WILL FIGHT FOR ABYSSINIA

## ORGANISE AT CAPE TOWN

Cape Town, July 30.

The Emperor of Abyssinia has cabled asking for the urgent despatch of the British white men who are being recruited here as officers for the Abyssinian Army. Arrangements have been made to equip and rush the enlisted officers by air to Addis Ababa at an estimated cost of £200 per man.

Meanwhile a last effort seems to be being made to win Abyssinia away from her determination to defend her independence. A proposal has been made in Addis Ababa to the Emperor, from undisclosed sources, suggesting a League mandate in Abyssinia, without political powers, but special economic concessions for Italy on the understanding that Abyssinia will be safeguarded from foreign aggression.

The Emperor merely acknowledged the proposal. But he told an interviewer that he did not object to the principle of European influence, provided it remained purely economic. Abyssinians preferred to prosper under European guidance than to remain poor with complete independence.

The proposal to establish a League mandate in Abyssinia is supported by Sir Hesketh Bell, the British expert on colonial constitutions. In a letter to the Times he suggests that the League of Nations should declare a provisional mandate in Abyssinia under which the legitimate complaints and rights of Italy should be satisfied.

### VOLUNTEER AIRMEN

Paris, July 30.

Harold Du Berrier, the stunt flier, is organising a number of American aviators into a fighting unit to assist the Ethiopian forces in action against the Italians.

### BOMBER GROUNDED

London, July 30.

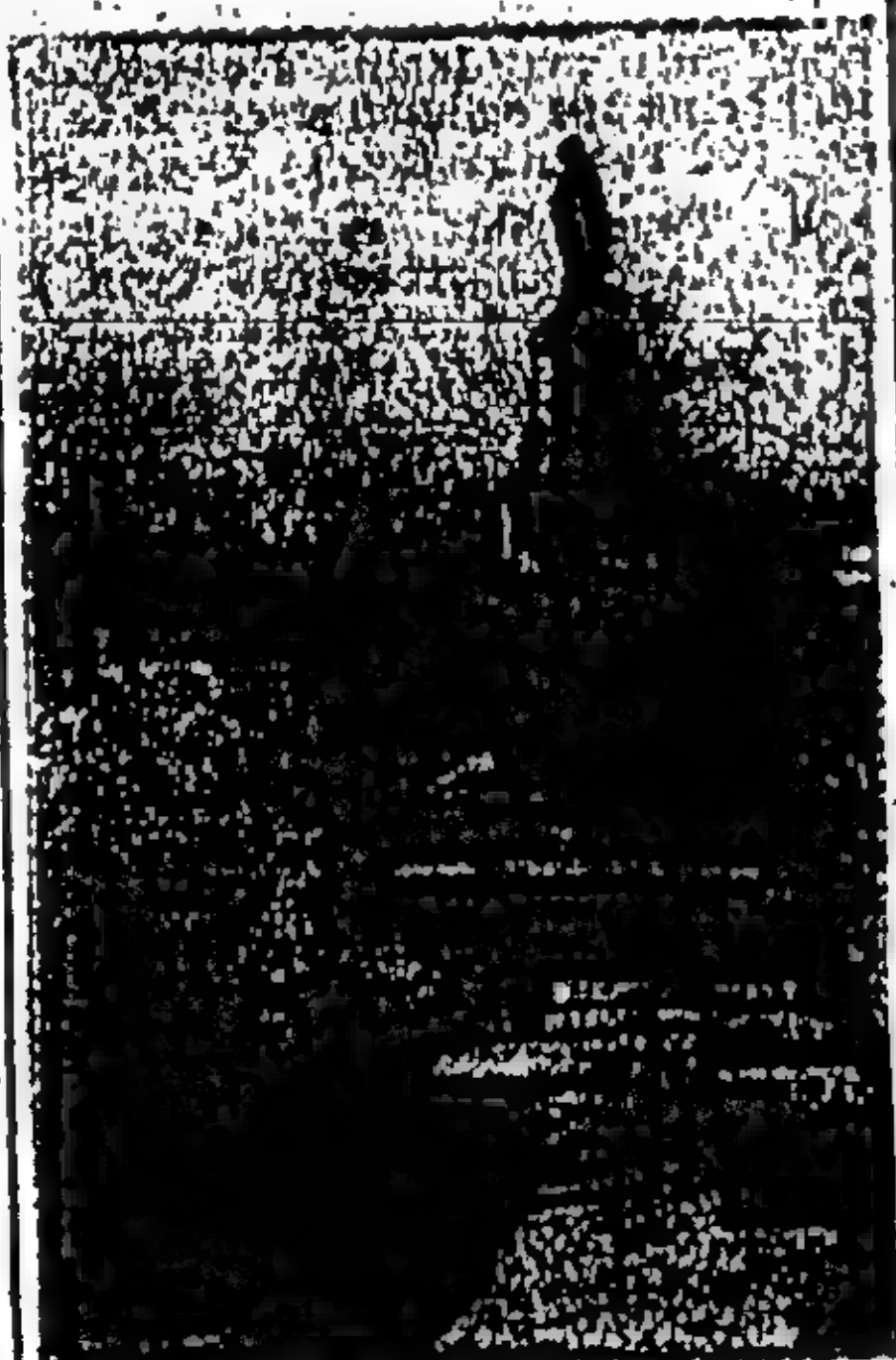
The Exchange-Telegraph service reports from Bucharest that a gigantic German bombing plane had temporarily been grounded there owing to engine trouble. It later flew on to Istanbul, apparently en route to Addis Ababa.

### WANT NO MANDATE

(Special to "Telegraph")

Rome, July 30.

The Fascist Foreign Office, in an article in the semi-official Popolo d'Italia, suggests that Abyssinia should fulfil a role similar to Egypt, which would be an honour for the Arab Empire. —Reuter Special.



The Suez Canal, where scores of Italian transports pass on their way to the Somali ports, may be closed to Italian warships in the event of war in Africa. It has been rumoured. This is the entrance to the Canal, showing the Statue of Ferdinand de Lesseps, the French engineer, who built the waterway.

## Sir Robert Ho Tung's Soldier Son

## GRADUATES AT U.S. COLLEGE RETURNING TO COLONY

News has just been received from America that Major Shal-lai Ho, younger son of Sir Robert Ho Tung, has graduated from the famous American Staff College, the Command and General Staff School, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, U.S.A.

Major Ho has had a very extensive military education. After receiving his early education at Queen's College, he went to the Royal Military Academy at Woolwich for a couple of years; after that he completed a tank course at the Artillery School for officers at Larkhill. On his graduation, Major Ho returned to Hongkong for a short while in 1928. Then in the same year he went on to another celebrated military school—one founded by Napoleon—the Ecole d'Application d'Artillerie at Fontainebleau, where three years were spent.

On the completion of his course in France, Major Ho returned to the Far East and was for a while with Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang. Then, in order to widen his military knowledge, Major Ho decided to concentrate on staff work and in 1932 went to Fort Leavenworth, U.S.A., from which he has just graduated.

### WHIP OF HUNT

Major Ho was raised to the rank of Major in 1931 and though he is primarily an artillery officer, yet his able horsemanship and his popularity with the American officers at Fort Leavenworth resulted in his being elected to the Whip of the Officers' Hunt—one of the coveted honours of the School.

Major Ho has travelled extensively in Europe, America and China. His knowledge of military tactics is of the latest and he returns to the Far East with the best military education which England, France and America have to give.

Major Ho is expected to return to Hongkong in about September. He is at the moment visiting Shanghai and renewing old friendships.

ancient in civilisation while Abyssinia is ancient in barbarism. Questioned regarding the protectorate scheme advanced by some quarters, Italian officials do not consider that League of Nations control in Abyssinia would settle the problems which have arisen between that country and Italy and would not prevent their arising again. The article points out that Signor Mussolini recently declared that a protectorate administered by any other power or group of powers would be impossible.

The Italian point of view is that Italy must have an army of occupation in Abyssinia. —Reuter Special.

## AMERICA TREADS WARILY

## FEARS POLITICAL COMPLICATIONS

## DISCREET SILENCE

(Special to "Telegraph")

Washington, July 30.

The Administration is doing its utmost to avoid political reverses due to religious disputes abroad; the United Press Washington correspondent learned to-day.

There are 4,000,000 Jews in the country, 20,000,000 Roman Catholics and probably 2,000,000 pro-Nazis; all of whom might easily be offended. If the United States officially expressed any opinion with respect to the anti-Jewish and anti-Catholic demonstrations in Germany, or the alleged persecution of these groups by Nazis.

America must walk carefully in the Italo-Abyssinian dispute, for if she takes sides against Italy the Administration will incur the enmity of 3,000,000 pro-Italians and if she does not show sympathy for Abyssinia she will offend the 11,000,000 negro voters of the Union. All of these elements exert immense political pressure. Their feelings cannot be ignored.

### ORIENTAL PROBLEM

Then there is the constant problem of the Oriental farmers in the West Coast country.

The Administration is frankly perplexed with problems of statecraft abroad and political judgment at home; but thus far President Roosevelt and Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, have avoided trouble by maintaining a discreet silence. —United Press.

## DR. BROCK KILLED IN AIR CRASH

## NOTED CANADIAN GEOLOGIST

## FORMERLY IN HONGKONG

Vancouver, July 31.

Dr. Reginald Walter Brock, the eminent geologist and Chairman of the Harbour Commission, has been killed in an aeroplane crash on Alta Lake.

The pilot of the machine was also killed, while Mr. David Sloan, manager of the Pioneer Times, was seriously injured.

The late Dr. Brock was Dean of the College of Applied Science, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, and has held numerous posts in leading geological institutions in various parts of the world. He was formerly Director of the Geological Survey of Canada and in 1914 was Deputy Minister of Mines in the Canadian Government.

In 1926-27 and in 1932-33 he undertook special geological surveys for the Hongkong Government. —Reuter.

## S'HA1 EXCHANGE MARKET

## STEADY AT CLOSE OF MORNING

Shanghai, July 31.

The foreign exchange market is steady this morning. There is a strong feeling apparent that yesterday's decline was overdone.

The market continued steady at 10.35 a.m. There are indications that speculators are preparing to get out of the market. U.S. dollars 37-11/16; Sterling 1/6-3/16; Gold Bars \$390.80.

The closing rates were U.S. dollars 37-15/16; Sterling 1/6-3/8; Gold Bars \$382.00. —United Press.



Picture shows gold from Paris being unloaded from a plane at the Croydon aerodrome during the recent French financial crisis.

## Continued Help For Industry

## SUBSIDY FOR BEET SUGAR PRODUCER

## PARLEY WITH DOMINIONS?

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, July 30.

The Government has decided to continue to assist the beet sugar industry for an unlimited period. This announcement was made by Mr. Walter Elliot, Minister for Agriculture, in the House of Commons to-day. Lord De la Warr made a similar announcement in the House of Lords during the afternoon.

Production will be limited to 550,000 tons of white sugar which it is estimated the 1936 crop will produce.

An independent sugar commission will be appointed to execute the Government policy. Beet sugar factories will be amalgamated into a single corporation before April 1936.

Assistance will be given the industry on a diminishing scale, based upon the world's price of sugar.

Meanwhile the Government proposes to invite the Governments of the sugar-exporting dominions and colonies to examine the possibility of joint endeavour to reopen the international negotiations with respect to sugar production and marketing. —Reuter.

### LIMITS SET

London, July 30.

In the House of Commons to-day, the Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Walter Elliot, announced the decision of the Government as to the future of the sugar beet industry. The Government had concluded it was desirable, on agricultural grounds, to continue to assist the industry without any limitation of period, but it was necessary to set a limit to the volume of directly-assisted production. The limit would be the equivalent of 550,000 tons of white sugar—the estimated produce of 1935.

An independent Sugar Commission would be entrusted with such powers in relation to the sugar beet industry as might be necessary for the carrying out of the Government's policy. It has been decided to adopt the recommendations of the Committee of Enquiry that the beet sugar factory companies should be amalgamated in a single corporation.

### FINANCIAL ASPECT

The financial arrangements proposed were based on the assumption that as from April 1, 1936, there would be a transitional period of not more than five years. During this period, assistance would be given upon a diminishing scale, based upon certain standard levels for the world price of sugar. Subsequently, the basic rate of assistance would be subject to review at triennial intervals. For the purposes of its immediate sugar (Continued on Page 7.)

## BRITAIN MINING HER PETROL

## BIRTH OF PROMISING INDUSTRY

## ALREADY GIVES WORK TO THOUSANDS

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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London, July 30.

Seven and a half million gallons of petrol has been manufactured from British coal by the Imperial Chemical Industries since its hydro-genation plant was put into operation on February 2.

This was the information given to the House of Commons to-day by the Secretary of Mines, Capt. H.F.C. Crookshank.

He was replying to a question as to the success of the Imperial Chemical Industries' experiments in the production of petrol from coal.

Delivery to distributors had commenced on April 9, said the Minister, and 6,000,000 gallons had already been marketed.

The petrol is of the first grade of quality and requires no further blending or treatment of any sort and is anticipated that operations on a full scale, which will produce 45,000,000 gallons annually, will be attained within a few months, he said.

The new industry will employ about 2,000 miners and another 1,000 men in the plants, besides many others in the secondary industries. —Reuter Special.

### FURTHER DETAILS

London, July 30.

The Secretary for Mines, Captain Crookshank, in a Parliamentary answer, furnished an interesting statement by Imperial Chemical Industries, Ltd., showing the progress which has been made in the extraction of oil from coal at its Billingham works. Production began on February 2 this year and since that date a total quantity of seven and a half million gallons of petrol has been manufactured. Deliveries to distributors commenced in April, and six million gallons have been marketed to date.

The petrol is taken over by the oil companies to specification of their first grade marketed spirit, and needs no further blending or treatment. The cost required when the plant is in full operation will, including that required for the treatment of cressets and low temperature tar, amount to well over half a million tons, representing employment for about 1,950 miners. The number of persons now employed on the plant is about a thousand, and employment in secondary industries will be found for a considerable number of people. —British Wireless.

## PROSPERITY TAXES

## AMERICA EXPECTS BIG REVENUE

(Special to "Telegraph")

Washington, July 30.

The Ways and Means Committee to-day reported favourably on the "Tax the Wealthy" Bill. The Speaker of the House of Representatives to-day said that the Bill would probably be taken up Wednesday and Thursday. The Bill remains wide open amendment. The House hopes to pass the Bill by next Saturday so that it will reach the White House about August 20.

The schedules of the Bill provide for the yield of \$110,000,000 from inheritance taxes, excess profits tax \$100,000,000, corporation taxes \$15,000,000, personal incomes \$50,000,000, and corporations with net income above \$15,000, or more than per cent profits, will be \$100,000,000. —United Press.

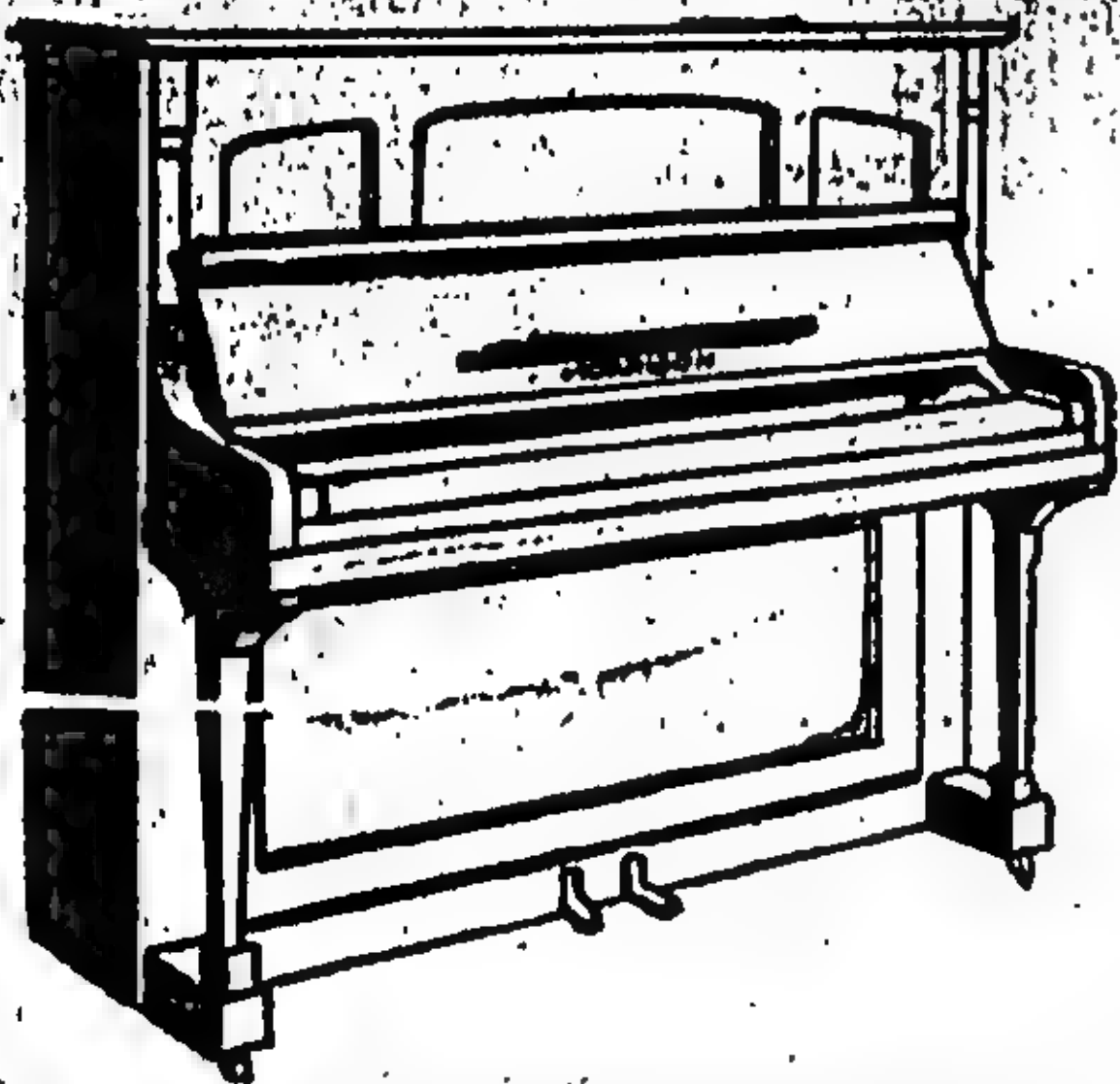
## THE ALHAMBRA EQUIPMENT

## SOLD BY AUCTION TO-DAY

Mr. Lay Yum-sang this morning acquired the motion picture equipment and machinery of the Hongkong Amusement Co., Ltd., at the Alhambra Theatre, for \$10,000. The equipment and machinery were offered in one lot at Messrs. Lamont Bros. auction rooms. It has already been advertised that a new syndicate will re-open the Theatre on Saturday.



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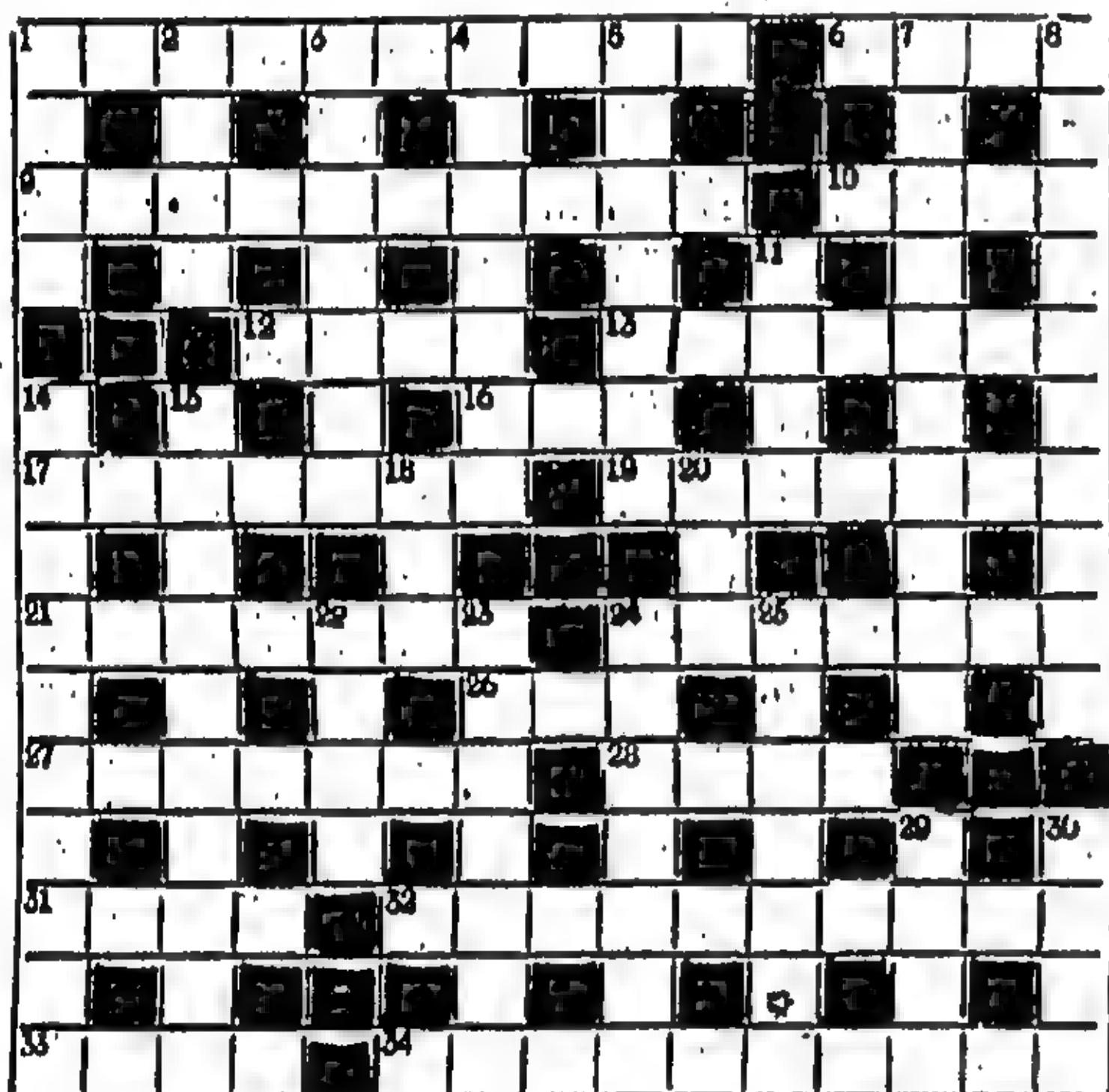
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- 6 One of Nature's weapons.
- 9 On breaking-up day, this room becomes a boat and lorry.
- 10 Knock senseless.
- 12 Caused by screw.
- 13 Both horse and foot.
- 16 Biblical character.
- 17 Did Adam try here, when searching for his lost rib?
- 19 Rescind. (Anagram).
- 21 Queer name for what is fast engulfing my bijou residence.
- 24 Hill cloth.
- 25 Comes in flashes.
- 27 What the world knows of its greatest men.
- 28 Cain's reincarnation?
- 31 Cut the sorrow out of Melbourne and it flows abroad.
- 32 A man of wire and string who will put your name up (hypphen).
- 33 The artist requires land on the port side here.
- 34 The polite hero's colour.

Down

- 1 This effectually impedes progress.
- 2 Not a British clergyman.
- 3 Caustic, rather like Aunt Maud when upset.
- 4 Broken latches.
- 5 Carter and I don't make a dependable combination.
- 7 Direct opposite.

- 8 It takes a virtue to hide Nero thus.
- 11 This pipe is not for smokers' mouths.
- 14 People who run away with the don's brags.
- 15 Apparently "bites" glide down when food is thus.
- 18 Next to 27 across?
- 20 A motto word.
- 22 Bill's best word.
- 23 Migrator. (Anagram).
- 24 A wine.
- 25 An extract.
- 29 Palindromic emperor.
- 30 One of an Indian tribe.

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CATACOMBS  
OF PARISAS SHELTERS FROM  
AIR-RAIDS?SUGGESTIONS  
FOR DEFENCEBy WAVERLEY LEWIS ROOT  
United Press Staff Correspondent

Paris. It has been suggested that shelter from an air raid should be in a cave below the street, in the company of some hundreds of thousands of skeletons and skulls, whose presence will permit meditation on the mortality of man and the imminent possibility of joining the inmates of the osuary if the explosions one hears dimly above prove too strong for the shelter.

The suggestion is the Council General L'Hopital's of the department of the Seine, who has submitted a project for the conversion of the Paris catacombs into bomb-proof gasproof shelters.

The idea brings up immediately macabre thoughts of a vigil with the dead, for those parts of the catacombs visited by tourists are decorated by shinbones and arm bones in geometrical patterns, with friezes of grinning skulls above them. Steps lead from one level to another, with a skull disposed at each end of each step. Bones trace lugubrious Latin mottos on the wall. Not exactly, one would say, a cheerful ambience for persons hiding from possible sudden and unpleasant death.

## NUCLEUS FOR SHELTERS

But not all of the catacombs of Paris are filled with skeletons, and they provide the nucleus for shelters as easily utilisable as the champagne cellars of Reims, which served in that capacity during the last war. The catacombs were originally quarries, but after a subsidence in the Rue d'Enfer (Hall Street), so called because no one knew how deep the cavity under it was, when half a dozen houses were swallowed up in 1774, the municipality filled in and abandoned all the cuttings except those under streets.

There still remained plenty. When the cemetery of the Innocents was condemned about 1780 to make way for the growth of the city, the bones it contained were removed to the Catacombs and arranged in the neat geometrical pattern which tourists gaze at now. There were so many of them that the removal took 18 months. Between 1792 and 1814, the remains of 16 other cemeteries that disappeared before the growth of Paris also found their way to the catacombs. There also were disposed the bodies of many of the victims of the Revolution.

The corridors to which the public are admitted cover a length of 800 yards. These, however, are not the only galleries still in repair. There are others in which mushrooms are grown, connecting directly with the catacombs in the Left Bank not far from the Seine, which extend beyond the city limits. Isolated sections of the catacombs, now unconnected with the rest by practicable galleries, abound in the quarter of the church of Saint Julien le Pauvre, below restaurants which make a specialty of serving you meals hundreds of feet below the street level.

Besides the mushroom cellars, extending to the suburbs of Montreuil, there are in the suburb of Gentilly other still practicable galleries which lead likewise all the way to the main body of the catacombs. Many galleries are still safe beyond those to which the public is admitted. Add the possibility of reopening filled in galleries, and strengthening those which are now unsafe to enter, and you have Paris provided with miles of underground shelters—enough space underground, perhaps, to

## FASHION NOTES

Linen Suitable For  
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## PARIS STYLES

NEVER before has linen been suitable for such widely different purposes as this year. Dressmakers in Paris are using linen for evening frocks and golf suits, gloves and corsets, race frocks and tennis shorts. Nothing is impossible with linen, and, which is more important, everything looks exactly right.

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Nothing loses its original freshness so much as a hat in linen, but the new linens are so remarkable for their staying colour that this difficulty has been overcome, and hats in all sorts of delicate shades of linen are to the fore.

Gloves and shoes are other accessories to the smart woman's ensemble for which linen will be used this year, while bags to match have already attracted the attention of more than one designer.

WAR ON  
HOPPERSDISCOVERY OF  
PARASITE

Iowa City, Iowa.

A germ war on grasshoppers was declared here by University of Iowa zoologists who announced discovery of a parasite which may end this scourge of agriculture in the Plains states.

The germ, *maphigameba locustae*, measures 5/25,000ths of an inch and killed laboratory grasshoppers within two weeks during experiments by Dr. E. H. Slinger, Dr. R. L. King and Dr. A. B. Taylor.

Harmless to crops or other insects, the parasites are to be settled on the food of grasshoppers. Then, if the germ is as effective in the fields as in the laboratory, it will destroy reproductive organs, cause sterility and eventually death. The germs multiply under favourable conditions at a rate of more than 1,000,000 a week.

The parasite is most effective against the *M. Differentialis* type of grasshopper, which has ravaged farm lands of Kansas, Nebraska, Western Iowa, and other Western states, and the common grasshopper, *M. Fumurrubrum*.—United Press.

accommodate all of her 3,000,000 inhabitants.

## ONE DRAWBACK

Councillor L'Hopital's project is for the converting of all these galleries into reinforced shelters so that Paris will be ready for attack from the air. There is only one drawback—the catacombs are confined to the Left Bank of the Seine, and the inhabitants of the Right Bank will have a long way to go for shelter.

Action will probably be taken on his plan soon, for Paris is going rapidly ahead with the passive defence preparations in which most other European cities have outstripped her. Her first passive defence exercises are expected to take place about May 16, when, under the terms of the law recently passed, all citizens will be obliged to join in this preparatory drill—which, will, perhaps, send the inhabitants of the Left Bank down into the dusty corridors of the catacombs to pass half an hour face to face with the bones of their ancestors in meditation over the horrors of war.

AMERICA'S  
ARMYTO BE BROUGHT  
TO STRENGTHENLISTMENT  
CAMPAIGNS

Washington, June 30.

The United States Army to-day was prepared to start enlistment campaigns intended eventually to bring the enlisted strength to 165,000 as authorized by Congress.

Permissible recruiting in the nine corps areas has been fixed at 31,700, which does not include Medical, Air Corps, or Signal Personnel.

The enlisted strength of the regular army as of March 31, 1935, latest official tabulation, was approximately 123,000. Enlistments will be only for the grade of private, and will be absorbed entirely in existing organizations.

The projected recruiting is intended merely to bring the army to the strength authorized by Congress in the War Department Appropriation Act for the fiscal year 1936, and the army at 165,000 will still be far below the strength of 280,000 authorized (but never sufficiently appropriated for), in the National Defence Act of 1920.

War Department officials pointed out that the enlisted strength of the army had dropped 118,000 and that in addition, the five-year air corps programme had not been supplied with new recruits, but had taken enlisted men from the Infantry, Cavalry, and other combat branches. Many Infantry, and Cavalry companies have been undermanned.

## ALLOTMENTS

Allotments to the various corps areas for enlistments starting July 1, and the strength of troops in those areas as of March 31, 1935, were as follows:

- First Corps Area—Allotment, 2,180; troops March 31, 4,005.
- Second Corps Area—Allotment, 3,814; strength March 31, 12,447.
- Third Corps Area—2,237; 11,490.
- Fourth Corps Area—2,966; 11,174.
- Fifth Corps Area—2,012; 3,870.
- Sixth Corps Area—1,570; 3,870.
- Seventh Corps Area—3,164; 7,140.
- Eighth Corps Area—19,640.
- Ninth Corps Area—5,268; 12,251.

The strength of the Army outside the Corps Areas on March 31 was as follows: West Point Cadets, 1,221; Hawaiian Department, 14,238; Panama Canal, 9,188; Alaska, 280; Puerto Rico, 790; Philippines Department, regular 4,386, Scouts, 6,358; China, 712; at large, 387.

## SUMMARIES OF STRENGTH

Summaries of enlisted strength of the Army at end of first quarter 1935 revealed the Infantry as the most numerous branch, with personnel at 38,893; but not greatly larger than the combined field artillery and coast artillery which had, respectively, 14,542 and 12,412 men.

Military experts say that the growth of Artillery relative to the Infantry is an outgrowth of world war experience, when the Artillery became indispensable in preparing for and supporting the Infantry.

Growth in the Air branch is also a characteristic feature of post-war military establishments. Enlisted Cavalry strength was 7,339; Quartermaster corps, 7,571; Medical Corps, 6,625; Engineer Corps, 4,260; Ordnance Department, 2,184; Signal Corps, 2,693. Despite widespread views of the public that chemical warfare has become of outstanding importance, that service engaged only 427 men.

Acts of Congress allows the army 12,000 officers, and the actual number on March 31 was 11,817.—United Press.



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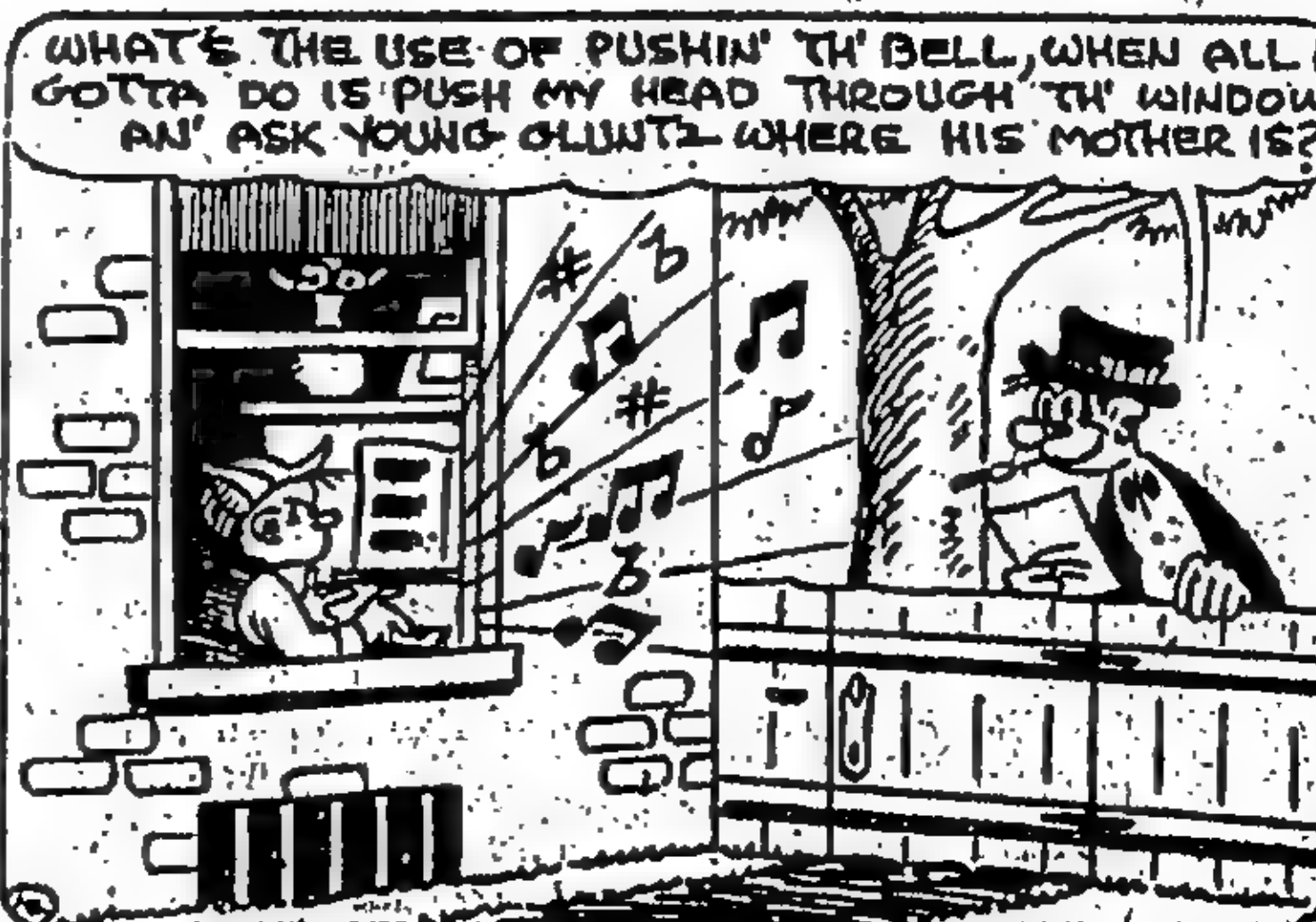
## What Do You Think?

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# TRAGIC ANNIVERSARY

BY MORRIS GILBERT

BY July 31, 1914, the fate of European nations no longer really lies in their embassies and foreign affairs ministries, but in



## MOBILISATION... FRANCE'S ANSWER TO GERMANY'S QUERY.

their war offices, where grimly practical measures are being taken for the great conflict to come. . . . St. Petersburg. Midnight. — Pourtales (German ambassador) to Savonov: "If within twelve hours Russia does not interrupt her mobilization, Germany will mobilize too." Savonov to Pourtales: "We will not attack as long as pourparlers continue with Austria. It is impossible to demobilize without disarranging our whole military organization." Vienna.—The Austrian ministry

extracts from Emperor Franz-Joseph the order for general mobilization.

Berlin. Noon.—The Kaiser telegraphs King George: "I have just received the official notification that Nicky last night ordered general mobilization. He did not even wait the results of the mediation I am working at, and left me without news. I return to assure the security of my eastern frontiers where strong contingents of Russian troops are already stationed." Proclaims "state of danger of war."

Paris. 11:45 a.m.—The Quai d'Orsay hears from Austria that Austria announces she has no territorial ambition against Serbia provided the war is confined between Austria and Serbia, and has so informed Russia. Philippe Berthelot: "Privately, this seems pretty late." 5 p.m. Viviani being asked by Germany if France will remain neutral, "covering" or skeletonized—mobilization is ordered. Evening. Jean Jaures, French socialist leader who has been fervently attacking the idea of war, is assassinated in a cafe in the rue du Croissant. Basil Zaharoff, armament king, is promoted Commander of the Legion of Honour.

London.—Sir Edward Grey formally asks France and Germany if they will respect the neutrality of Belgium. France formally answers "Yes." Germany gives an evasive answer, saying that a response would disclose the German plan of campaign.

Brussels. Evening.—The government announces general mobilization.

TO-MORROW: France mobilizes and Germany declares war on Russia.

## HUNAN OFFICIALS

### DRASTIC PROVINCIAL GOVT. CHANGES

Nanking, July 30. Several changes in the Hunan Provincial Government have been approved by the Executive Yuan

meeting this morning.

General Ho Chien has retained the Governorship, but the Civil Affairs and Finance Commissioners have been replaced and four other members of the Provincial Government dismissed.

The new appointees include Ho Hao-yo as Finance Commissioner, and Lin Ching as Civil Affairs Commissioner.—*Reuter*.



This latest picture of the Prince of Wales shows the heir to Britain's throne beginning to look his 41 years. It was made during a ceremony in connection with the Silver Jubilee.



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## Ethnological Exposition

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### PRE-HISTORIC RELICS

Paris, June 28.

Relics of all stages of civilisation throughout the world are assembled in Paris to-day for the greatest Ethnological Exposition ever held in Europe. It will open here this week and will continue for three consecutive months.

Stone chicken-coops and gigantic statues from Easter Island, the most mysterious of all Polynesian groups in the Pacific Ocean, will be on display for the first time and will constitute the most important exhibits.

The relics from Easter Island were gathered by the Franco-Belgian Ethnographical Mission, which spent six months research on that remote, volcanic dot off the coast of Chile. This collection, which is being brought to Paris, includes one enormous stone hat, one complete statue, two giant busts and incised reading tablets whose alternating lines are inverted.

### WEIRD EXHIBITS

A collection of real heads that have been shrunken by Peruvian Indians to the size of billiard balls although still possessing hair and clearly discernible features will be among the weird exhibits as will samples of the ancient Chinese torture knife of the thousand cuts.

In striking contrast will be an array of colourful dancing costumes, toys and musical instruments used by little-known civilisations in their efforts to play throughout the ages. The most attractive feature of this section promises to be the costumes of the tiny dancing virgins of Cambodia.

War paints and implements of tribal warfare as well as various kinds of armour employed by knights and warriors of the Middle Ages will comprise still another section.

Scientists from all over the world are being invited to the Exposition which will take up several score rooms and halls of the historic Trocadero Museum. It is being held in connection with the 800th anniversary of the founding of the French Museum of Natural History.—*United Press*.

## MURDERED GIRL-BRIDE

### FRENCHMAN SENT TO PRISON

### FIVE BULLET WOUNDS

Michael Henriot, son of a former French Public Prosecutor, was sentenced to 20 years' penal servitude for the murder of his 19-year-old bride recently at Vannes.

Her body, terribly mutilated by five bullets, was found only a few months after their marriage in their lonely home on the cliffs of Brittany.

The crime was heard, it is alleged, over the telephone by an operator, who, receiving a call, heard articulate cries and the sound of shots.

Henriot is alleged to have insured his wife without her knowledge for about £12,000. The marriage was the result of an advertisement which brought Michael Henriot into touch with Georgette Deglave.

One of the most poignant moments in the trial was when Mme. Henriot, the aged mother of the accused, cried:—"My poor darling one, would that I had never brought you into the world."

Turning to the President, she said—"I have brought him up badly. I have loved him too well. Don't let that fall on his head."

### DEAD WIFE'S LETTERS

The dead wife's letters to her sister told how her husband forced her to run naked along the cliffs and threatened her with a revolver. They described how she threw saucepans at his head and put salt in his coffee.

Asked to describe the last fatal quarrel, Henriot said that he tried to kiss his wife, but she refused and slapped him. He seized a poker and struck her on the head.

When asked how it was that he fired five times, loading the gun between each shot, the accused replied, "I am so used to shooting that I did it automatically."

Asked if he stood by his confession, Henriot nodded, but denied that the act was premeditated.

He added, "I regret my act. I felt tremors in prison, where I had nightmares."

## FINGER PRINT DEVELOPMENT

### LATEST DEVICE AGAINST CRIME

New York, July.

New York police have announced that through chemical processes inspired by the Lindbergh baby kidnapping, they can identify fingerprints on cloth. They hope soon to be able to develop prints of criminals who wear gloves.

The almost miraculous process was developed in police department laboratories with the assistance of Dr. E. M. Hudson, specialist in body chemistry who found 500 fingerprints on the ladder used in the Lindbergh kidnapping after police had failed to find even one.

Experts of the department have already been able to prove that fingerprints are left on everything touched, even by a person wearing cloth or leather gloves. Body wax, composed principally of salt and liquids, seeps through the gloves in regular patterns and is imprinted on articles touched as surely as though the bare hand had made the contact.

Success in developing such prints to visibility has depended so far on the texture of the gloves used, but Dr. Hudson and police experts expect soon to make themselves independent of even that factor.

Mead's development of prints on the ladder used in the Lindbergh case and past success of police in locating prints on white cloth was by the use of silver nitrate. The nitrate turns the salt in fingerprints into silver chloride. Silver chloride exposed to light turns black, revealing the whorls and loops of the fingers.

Another process was required, however, for dark cloths and to thwart the crook who uses gloves. The developing agent discovered is calcium sulphite powder, which is brushed over the suspected surface. It adheres like glue to the tiniest bit of body wax, making a print in white. Even now, if a criminal is so careless as to leave his gloves at the scene of the crime, his prints can be taken from inside them.—*United Press*.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an INTERIM DIVIDEND of 40 (forty) cents per Share has been declared payable on WEDNESDAY, 21st AUGUST next, on and after which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained upon application at the Registered Office of the Company, Canal Road East, Bowrington, Hongkong.

NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that the REGISTER of MEMBERS of the Company will be closed from WEDNESDAY, 7th, to TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST, 1935, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,  
W. F. SIMMONS,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 29th July, 1935.

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 25th JULY, to FRIDAY, the 2nd AUGUST, 1935, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
J. P. SHERRY,  
Manager.

Hongkong, 5th July, 1935.

### HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that an Interim Dividend of £2.10 per Share, subject to deduction of Income Tax, has been declared for the HALF YEAR ending 30th June, 1935, at the rate of 2 1/2% per Dollar.

THE DIVIDEND will be payable on and after MONDAY, 12th AUGUST 1935, at the offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

THE REGISTER OF SHARES of the Corporation will be closed from MONDAY 29th to SATURDAY 10th AUGUST (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
V. M. GRAYBURN,  
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Hongkong, 10th July, 1935.

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Value .. \$120.00		Studies in Still Life	
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Saloon	Prosper	July 31.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 11th July).	Aeneas	August 1.
Halphong	Canton	August 1.
Straits and Air Mail ex Amsterdam	Conte Verde	August 1.
Bandong Service (Amsterdam, 20th July)	Proa Coolidge	August 1.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 12th July)	Szechuen	August 1.
Shanghai and Swatow	Deucalion	August 2.
Straits and London Parcels only		
London, 27th June		
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai, (Vancouver B.C., 13th July)	Emp. of Canada	August 2.
Japan and Shanghai	Hakusan Maru	August 2.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 5th July)	Pres. Adams	August 2.
Amoy	Pres. Jefferson	August 2.
Straits and Europe via Negapatam (Letters and Papers) London, 4th July—and Air Mail ex Amsterdam—Bandong Service (Amsterdam, 24th July).	Tiawa	August 2.
Australia and Manila	Kashima Maru	August 2.
Calcutta and Straits	Tanda	August 3.
Japan	Suisang	August 4.
Straits	Arabia Maru	August 5.
Shanghai	Soudan	August 5.
Calcutta and Straits	Calchas	August 5.
Java	Melbourne Maru	August 5.
	Talma	August 5.
	Tjinegara	August 6.

### OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time
Samahul and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Wed., July 31, 4 p.m.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia	Conte Verde	Thurs., August 1, 9.30 a.m.
*Japan, *Canada and *U.S.A. via Tallyhuss Thurs., August 1, 9.30 a.m.		
*Victoria B.C. (Due Victoria B.C., 26th August).		
Madang, Salamaua and Rabaul	Friderun	Thurs., Aug. 1, 10.30 a.m.
Letters for "Bandong-Amsterdam Air Mail Service"—due Amsterdam, 12th August.	Aeneas	Thurs., Aug. 1.
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg. .... Aug. 1, 11.30 a.m.	Reg. .... Aug. 1, Noon.	
Letters .... Aug. 1, Noon.	Letters .... Aug. 1, 12.30 p.m.	
Swatow and Bangkok	Michael Jensen	Thurs., August 1, 12.30 p.m.
Straits and Europe via Marseilles	Aeneas	Thurs., Aug. 1.
(Due Marseilles, 3rd September).		
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg. .... Aug. 1, Noon.	Reg. .... Aug. 1, 12.45 p.m.	
Letters .... Aug. 1, Noon.	Letters .... Aug. 1, 1.30 p.m.	
Manila	Pres. Coolidge	Thurs., Aug. 1, 5 p.m.
Friday		
Sandakan	Hinsang	Fri., Aug. 2, 10.30 a.m.
Belitow, Pakel and Halphong	Klungchow	Fri., Aug. 2, 1 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Yan	Fri., Aug. 2, 3 p.m.
*Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane.	Parcels	Fri., Aug. 2.
(Due Brisbane, 19th August).	Reg. .... Aug. 2, 1.45 p.m.	
Letters .... Aug. 2, 2.30 p.m.		
Manila	Emp. of Canada	Fri., August 2, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America, and Europe via Victoria, B.C., and Europe via Siberia	Pres. Jefferson	Fri., Aug. 2.
(Due Victoria, B.C., 20th August)	Parcels	Aug. 2, 3 p.m.
Letters for "Imperial Airways Ber-vice"—due London, 19th August.	Reg. .... Aug. 2, 4.15 p.m.	
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg. .... Aug. 2, 4 p.m.	Reg. .... Aug. 2, 4.30 p.m.	
Letters .... Aug. 2, 4.30 p.m.	Letters .... Aug. 2, 5 p.m.	
Letters for "Bandong-Amsterdam Air Mail Service"—due Amsterdam, 15th August.	Hakusan Maru	Fri., Aug. 2.
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg. .... Aug. 2, 4 p.m.	Reg. .... Aug. 2, 4.30 p.m.	
Letters .... Aug. 2, 4.30 p.m.	Letters .... Aug. 2, 5 p.m.	
Letters for "Singapore-Australia Hakusan Maru"—due Darwin, 13th August.	Pres. Adams	Fri., Aug. 2.
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg. .... Aug. 2, 4 p.m.	Reg. .... Aug. 2, 4.30 p.m.	
Letters .... Aug. 2, 4.30 p.m.	Letters .... Aug. 2, 5 p.m.	
Manila, Sandakan, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles.	Hakusan Maru	Fri., Aug. 2.
(Due Marseilles, 1st September).		
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg. .... Aug. 2, 4.30 p.m.	Reg. .... Aug. 2, 5 p.m.	
Letters .... Aug. 2, 4.30 p.m.	Letters .... Aug. 2, 5 p.m.	
Saturday		
Halphong	Canton	Sat., Aug. 3, 2 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Siberia	Kashima Maru	Sat., Aug. 3, 3.30 p.m.
Amoy	Suisang	Sat., Aug. 3, 5 p.m.
Sunday		
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hozan Maru	Sun., Aug. 4, 9 a.m.
Foochow	Szechuen	Sun., Aug. 4, 9 a.m.
Monday		
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Arabia Maru		Mon., Aug. 5, 9 a.m.
East and South Africa		
Swatow and Bangkok	Kiangsu	Mon., Aug. 5, 9 a.m.
Tuesday		
Amoy	Suisang	Tues., Aug. 6, 8.30 a.m.
Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tisadanie	Tues., Aug. 6, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Tues., Aug. 6, 3 p.m.
Australia and New Zealand via Melbourne Maru		Tues., Aug. 6.
Brisbane	Parcels	Aug. 6, 4.15 p.m.
(Due Brisbane, 21st August).	Reg. .... Aug. 6, 4.15 p.m.	
Letters .... Aug. 6, 5 p.m.		

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# GUINEA PIG BITES AMAH

## AND GIRL BITTEN BY SPANIEL

A Chinese amah, employed by Mr. Rocha, of 8 York Road, was bitten by a guinea pig owned by her employer. The animal was sent to Matakuk, while the woman received treatment at the hospital.

While Joan Hamilton, aged six years, of 204 Prince Edward Road, was playing in the garden of the residence of Mr. I. S. Wan, 164 Boundary Street, she was bitten by a spaniel dog owned by Mr. Wan. The girl received medical treatment while the dog was removed to Matakuk for observation.

### OWNERS SUMMONED

Several dog-owners appeared before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court this morning on summonses for allowing their dogs abroad without muzzles.

Mr. Quark, of 47a, Robinson Road, was fined \$10 for allowing his white dog in the road without a muzzle on July 8. Defendant denied the offence, saying the dog was in the garden of his house most of the time, but admitted losing sight of it for a minute.

A constable in evidence said he saw the dog in Robinson Road, and, following it, saw it go into No. 47a, the door of the house being ajar.

Miss Russell, of 42, Kennedy Road, was fined \$5 on admitting a summons of allowing her dog abroad without a muzzle on July 19. A representative appeared for defendant.

K. Y. Chan, of St. Joseph's Building, Robinson Road, was also fined on admitting a summons of allowing a black and white terrier bitch abroad without a muzzle. A representative said the dog followed the servants out of the house in the early morning.

## MORE BANISHEES CHARGED

### SUSPICIOUS CASE ADJOURNED

To consider whether the man should be simply sent back to Canton, or re-banished, Mr. Schofield, at the Central Police Court this morning, remanded Ho Tak, unemployed, for three days in police custody, on a charge of returning from banishment.

Detective-Sergeant Kinnear stated that the detective who arrested the man was given information by a man who was not his usual informer. There was a very strong suspicion that the man who gave the prisoner away was himself the man who brought the defendant down from the country, and it was quite possible that the defendant might have been enticed under some pretext. The informer was missing.

On a similar charge, Mak Fuk, unemployed, was sent to prison for nine months with hard labour. Returning from banishment before his period of 10 years had expired, Wong Sum, aged 20, was sentenced to six months' hard labour when brought before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistrate's Court this morning. Defendant was banished from the Colony on September 13, 1933.

Another banished, Chan Wah, aged 76, who was banished for 10 years on May 9 this year, was sentenced to four months' hard labour when he pleaded guilty to returning. Defendant said he could not find a living in Canton, so returned to the Colony.

# CAR CLEANER CHARGED

## IGNORED ORDERS OF A. A. MAN

For failing to comply with orders given to him by an authorised employee of the Hongkong Automobile Association, Leung Hung-piu, 20, a motor car cleaner, was brought before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning and was bound over in the sum of \$15 for six months.

Mr. C. H. Dodson, supervisor of the Hongkong Automobile Association, appeared as the complainant and stated that defendant had frequently been warned not to clean cars on the car parks without permission.

Giving evidence, Wong Leung, patrolman, stated that on Monday last about 11 a.m. he saw defendant washing a car on the car park near the Peninsula Hotel. Witness told defendant to go away, and he did so, but returned again at noon. Witness again sent the man away, and he returned again between 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. This time defendant was seen by Mr. Dodson and was arrested.

Mr. Dodson stated that he was passing through the car park at Middle Road when he saw defendant cleaning car No. 3447, so he arrested him. Witness had seen defendant before and had offered him employment in the Association, through an Indian patrolman.

Addressing defendant the Magistrate said: "As you have already spent two nights in gaol, I gather you know now that you are not to do this."

## U. S. COMMODITY PRICES

### LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuters:

New York Cotton		
	July 29	July 30
October	11.50	11.40/48
December	11.37	11.30/37
January (1936)	11.35	11.34/34
March	11.28	11.26/26
May	11.26	11.22/22
July	11.22	11.18/18
Spot	12.05	12.00

New York Rubber		
	September	12.00a
	December	12.20
	January	12.20a
	March	12.42a
	May	12.54a
	July	12.52b
Total sales	—182 lots	

Chicago Corn		
	July	83
	September	77
	December	64
	May	60
Monday's sales	—8,728,000 bushels	

Chicago Wheat		
	July	92
	September	92
	December	92
	May	95
Monday's sales	—51,787,000 bushels	

Winnipeg Wheat		
	July	85
	August	85

New York Silk		
	September	1.44
	December	1.43
	March	1.43
Total sales	—58 lots	

Montreal Silver		
	September	68.10
	December	68.50
	January	68.80
	March	69.75
Total sales	—15 contracts	

## SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning:

**Banks.**  
H.K. Banks \$1050 cum. div. ca.  
H.K. Banks, (Lon. Reg.),  
\$108 ex. div. b.  
Chartered Bank, \$13 5/8 n.  
Mercantile Bank, A. and B.  
\$9 1/4 n.  
Mercantile Bank C., \$18 1/2 n.  
East Asia Bank, \$76 1/2 n.

**Insurance.**  
Canton Ins., \$208 n.  
Union Ins., \$370 n.  
China Underwriters, 10 cta. n.  
China Fire, \$382 n.  
H.K. Fire Ins., \$200 n.  
Internat'l Asso., Sh. \$4 n.

**Shipping.**  
Douglas, \$36 n.  
H.K. Steamboats, \$4 n.  
Indo-China, (Pref.), \$30 n.  
Indo-China (Def.), \$12 n.  
Shell (Bearer), 78 1/4 n.  
Union Waterboats, \$11 1/2 n.

**Mining.**  
Antamoks, 71 cta. n.  
Balatocs, \$18 n.  
Baguio Gold, 22 cta. n.  
Benguet Consolidated, \$12 1/4 n.  
Benguet Exp., 12 cta. n.  
Benguet Goldfield, 10 cta. n.  
Big Wedge, 8 cta. n.  
Gold Creek, 30 cta. n.  
Gold River 5 cta. n.  
Ipo Mining, 90 cta. n.  
Itogons, 86 cta. n.  
Salacot, 12 cta. n.  
Kallin, 13/- n.  
Langkats (Single), \$14 n.  
Shal Explorations, Sh. \$4 1/4 n.  
Shal Loans, Sh. \$5 1/2 n.  
Ituabs, \$7.60 n.  
Venz: Goldfield \$2.30 n.

**Docks etc.**  
H.K. Wharves (old), \$76 b.  
H.K. Wharves (new), 74 1/2 n.  
H.K. Docks, \$6 1/2 n.  
Providents (old), 85 cta. n.  
Providents (new), 20 cta. n.  
Hongkows (old), Sh. \$240 n.  
New Engineering, Sh. \$4 n.  
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$78 n.

**Cotton Mills.**  
Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$7 n.  
Shal Cottons (old), Sh. \$65 n.  
Shal Cottons (new), Sh. \$40 n.  
Zong Sing, \$8 1/2 n.  
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$25 n.

**Lands, Hotels, etc.**  
H. and S. Hotels, \$3.80 aa.  
H.K. Lands \$30 n.  
H.K. Land 4% debentures,  
\$100 n.  
Shal Lands, Sh. \$20 1/2 n.  
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$10 n.  
Humphreys, \$8.10 n.  
H.K. Realty, \$4 n.  
Chinese Estates, \$88 n.  
China Realities, Sh. \$4 n.  
China Debentures Sh. \$123 n.

**Public Utilities.**  
H.K. Tramways, \$12.50 b.  
Peak Trams, (old), \$7 1/2 n.  
Peak Trams, (new), \$5 1/2 n.  
Star Ferries, \$76 n.  
Yaumati Ferries, (old), \$17.60 n.

**China Lights, \$8.60 b.**  
H.K. Electric, \$57 n.  
Macao Electric, \$22 1/2 n.  
Sundakan Lights, \$3 n.  
Telephone (old), \$21 1/2 a.  
Telephone (new), \$38.80 n.  
China Buses, Sh. \$11 1/2 n.  
Singapore Traction, 10/6 b.  
Singapore Pref. 22/6 b.

**Industrials.**  
Malabon Sugars, \$8.50 n.  
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$19 1/2 n.  
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$13 n.  
Canton Ices, \$1.80.  
Cement (Converted), \$4 1/4 a.  
H.K. Ropes, \$2 n.

**Stores, &c.**  
Dairy Farm, \$15.70 a.  
Watson, \$3.35 a.  
Lane Crawford, \$3 n.  
Mackintosh, \$7 n.  
Sinceres, \$4.70 n.  
Wm. Powells, 70 cta. n.  
Wing On (H.K.), \$55 n.

**Miscellaneous.**  
Amusements, \$1.85 n.  
H.K. Entertainments, \$4 n.  
S. C. Enterprises, \$1.35 n.  
Macao "Greyhounds," \$2 n.  
Constructions (old), \$1.10 n.  
Constructions (new), 50 cta. n.  
Vibro-Piling, \$4 a.  
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G. & Bonds  
90% n.  
H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan 6 1/4%  
prem. b.  
H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan 1 1/2%  
prem. b.  
Wallace Harpers, \$4 n.

## RAW RUBBER

**LATEST SINGAPORE  
PRICES**  
Messrs. Benjamin and Potts re-  
ceived the following Straits currency  
quotations (buyers) from Singapore  
6-day for raw rubber:  
Spot, 19 1/2 cta. unchanged  
Aug/Sept, 19 1/2 cta. up 1/4  
Oct/Dec, 20 1/2 cta. up 1/4  
Jan/Mar, 21 1/2 cta. up 1/4  
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## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

### LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

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### British Government Securities

War Loan 3 1/4%  
redm. after 1952 £108 1/2 £106 1/2

### Chinese Bonds

4 1/2% Bonds 1898  
(Eng. Iss.) £102 1/2 £102 1/2  
4 1/2% Loan 1908 £ 99 £ 99  
5% Loan 1912 £ 79 £ 78  
5% Reorg. Loan  
1913 (Lon. Iss.) £ 90 1/2 £ 90  
5% Bonds 1925-47 £ 90 1/2 £ 90 1/2  
5% Shal-Nanking  
Rly. £ 74 £ 72  
5% Tient-Pukow  
Rly. £ 27 £ 27  
5% Tient-Pukow  
Railway (Supl.  
Loan) £ 23 £ 23  
5% Honan Rly. £ 27 £ 27  
5% Kukuang Rly.  
1911 £ 40 £ 40  
5% Lung Tsing U.  
Hail Rly. 1913 £ 14 £ 14

### Foreign Bonds and Banks

German 7 1/2% Int.  
Loan 1924 £ 92 1/2 £ 92 1/2  
Japan 5% Sterling  
Loan 1907 £ 83 £ 83  
Japan 5% Sterling  
Loan 1924 £ 93 1/2 £ 93  
H.K. & Shal Bk.  
(Lon. Regd.) £106 £106  
Chartd. Bk. of I.A.  
& C. £ 13 1/2 £ 13 1/2

### Commercial and Industrial

Allied Iron Found-  
ries 41/9 43/-  
Associated Elec.  
Industries 36/0 36/3  
Austin Motors ord  
sh. 52/0 52/9  
Boots 47/6 49/3  
British American  
Tobacco (Bearer) 110 1/4 120/-  
Canadian Colanese  
Chinese Eng. and  
Min. (Bearer) 13/8 13/-  
Min. (Bearer) 14/6 15/-  
Courtaulds 93/3 93/3  
Distillers 42/9 43/-  
Electric Musical  
Industries 27/- 27/3  
General Electric  
(England) 57/6 57/3  
Hawker Aircraft  
Impl. Chem. Ind. 26/9 26/9  
O.K. Bazaars 35/3 35/3  
O.K. Bazaars 23/4 23/3  
Impl. Tobacco 140/7 142/6  
Rolls Royce £1  
sh. 153/1 153/9  
Shal Elec. Const. 47/6 47/6  
Tate & Lyle 88/9 84/9  
Turner & Newall 56/0 56/3  
United Steel 32/10 33/4  
Vickers ord. 14/7 15/-  
Watney, Combe &  
Reid def. ord. 75/6 77/6  
Woolworths 110/3 110/3

### Miscellaneous

Anglo-Dutch 22/9 22/1 1/2  
Gula Kalumpong 22/6 22/6  
Rubber 22/6 22/6  
Pekin Synd. 2/-  
ord. sh. 1/6 1/6  
Rubber Truists 30/3 30/4 1/2

### Mines

Burma Corp. Rs.  
10 9/3 9/3  
Commonwealth  
Mining 12/1 12/6  
Randfontein  
Estates 54/- 58/-  
Sip a s water  
Mining 6/6 6/8  
Springs Mines 41/10 41/10 1/2  
Sub-Nigel 256/8 256/8  
Khokana Corp. 95/- 95/-

### Oils

Anglo-Persian 58/9 59/4 1/2  
Burns Oil 79/4 79/4 1/2  
Shell Trans. and  
Trac. (Bearer) 71/10 73/1 1/2  
Maremont Invest-  
ments Ltd. 81/8 82/7 1/2

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## BRITAIN'S STAND

The assertion that the session of the Council which meets in Geneva to-day may determine whether the League of Nations is to disappear altogether, or become a real power for peace, adequately sums up a situation of the utmost gravity. Realising the ill-effects which have arisen as a consequence of the League's failure to see the ends of justice served in the Manchuria incident, Britain has latterly been taking every possible step to organise collective action by the civilised world to prevent the outbreak of war in Abyssinia. She has been moved, in these efforts, as much by a desire to see an equitable adjustment of the crisis as by an anxiety to uphold the League as an instrument for the preservation of world peace. Attempts to confine the League discussion to one particular incident, instead of courageously dealing with the whole problem of Italo-Abyssinian friction, are really futile. Eventually, the larger issues have to be faced; nothing is to be gained by shelving consideration now. Following prolonged deliberations on the subject, there recently emerged a definite British policy. This policy is based on the principle that Britain, being a member of the League, has collective obligations for the maintenance of peace, but that she has no individual obligation. The British public expects the Government not to shirk any obligation, subject to the willingness of other nations to undertake theirs, but it does not expect Britain to do anything that other nations are not willing to do. The Government is in line with the public on these points, and as a consequence it has long been realised that the key to the situation is to be found in the attitude of France. At the moment, that attitude has not been definitely disclosed. Up to the present, Britain has not taken the initiative in pressing for any particular form of action at the present stage, but there are indications that the Government believes economic sanctions, if not applied by the Powers outside the League as well as by the League Powers, would be useless. It has been made clear that should the attitude of France render collective action impossible, the Government would seek other means of

## NOTES OF THE DAY

WHO ARE HEROES?

Senator Clark, the man who sprang into prominence in Washington by declaring that the country was helpless to avoid entanglement in another major war, and who therefore suggested certain legislation to safeguard the nation's neutrality, is maintaining his rather hopeless campaign for action in the face of the Administration's lack of interest. In the opinion of his own generation he will never be a great man, in all probability. The great men are those who awaken intense nationalism amongst their contemporaries, who instil into the hearts of the people a strong contempt for those powers which run contrary to their own policies, who create that brilliant national defiance in the face of competition or opposition which has characterised the progressive belligerents of the past. We have known a few such men in history, and remember them with awe. We know of one or two such figures in this present day and sometimes look upon them with feelings which their own countrymen could not possibly comprehend, and certainly would not condone. And yet such men live on, their memories revered by the nation which they may have led to untold pain and ultimate ruin. The greatest of them all, Napoleon, even his enemies must have admired. There was no doubt that his own people worshipped him. Remember how his Guards rallied when he escaped from Elba? Remember how they wept for him in his adversity and sacrificed their lives, their sturdy, gallant lives, that he might bring more glories home to France? Never was there a greater general, let us say; never a leader better loved; and yet, in the end, he led his glorious army to destruction at Waterloo. And the glories that were France's, which for a brief while had covered her wounds were stripped from her. And there were the scars! Would Napoleon have been remembered had he fought not in the battlefields but in Parliament and for the neutrality of France? We err more often than not in selecting the real hero of the hour. The little, forgotten men who face the jeers of the mob and the sneers of their colleagues when striving for some ideal beyond the pitiful understanding of the masses, are as brave, or braver than those other gentlemen who talk of mighty fleets and armies and shout defiance to the world. And although Senator Clark, from a Missouri village, will never stand beside Napoleon, he has the saner ambition. He hopes to give his country peace.

## COAL FOR CURRENT

Strangely enough, about a century after James Bowman Lindsay, a lonely pioneer, lit his attic room with a crude electrical contrivance and pointed the way to a new means of illumination, the first National Electrical Convention has been held in Great Britain and has organized its forces for an attack upon the problems of the industry. The problems are many, for the industry has expanded rapidly in the intervening years. But the major problems are two: the need for standardisation and for a better distributive system. It is asserted

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preventing war, but in no circumstances should it place Britain in the position of an international policeman, taking upon herself responsibility for the maintenance of peace at her sole risk. The present week will, in the circumstances, be a crucial time not only for Italy and Abyssinia, but also for the whole of Europe. Britain is apparently determined not to let vital issues be side-stepped. The question at the moment is whether she can rally to her side other nations equally anxious that the League shall be re-established on a firmer footing, as the only organised body so far devised for the purpose of preserving peace, or, when that objective is impossible of fulfilment, of seeing that unjustified aggression meets with the punishment which it deserves.

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VILLAINS WHO LOST  
AN EMPIRE

By TANGYE LEAN

By adopting the Declaration of Independence 159 years ago the United States of America broke away from the British Empire. Tangye Lean here describes the dramatic situation in British politics which brought about this division of the English-speaking people.

It was the end of the First British Empire. Lord Chatham, old and weak with pain, rose for the last time in the House of Lords. "His Majesty succeeded," came the slow words, "succeeded to an Empire as great in extent as its reputation was unassailed. Seventeen years ago this people was the terror of the world. . . . But he sagged back limply against his seat. Unconscious, he was carried home to die.

It had been a bad muddle, too stupid, too undignified to deserve that tragic curtain. Fifteen years previously a spectacular war had been fought which annihilated French power in America, and as a sequel it was proposed that the colonists on the far side of the Atlantic should contribute to the national Exchequer.

In theory, perhaps, that plan was not unreasonable, but its administration was carried out so feebly yet so provocatively that it would have inflamed the independent spirit of a colony of slaves.

George III., whose education in most things was slight ("Was there ever such stuff as Shakspeare?" he asked), had in his youth learnt this at least, that at all costs he must be a King.

Partly by chance and partly by intention, the problem of taxing the colonists became bound up with his ambition as an autocratic monarch. George's method was to rule through Parliament by bribing it, and any attack on the sovereign rights of that body became at once an attack upon himself.

Perhaps, too, he hoped that the quarrel would unite the country behind him. This it never did, and in the eyes of posterity those years of deplorable misgovernment stand out as a struggle between villains and heroes, with the fate of America dependent on the issue.

But the villains—George III., his Prime Minister Lord North, and his lesser hirelings "the King's Friends"—were not good villains. George was too sensible and too commonplace to merit the 20 years of raving lunacy in which he ended his life. Lord North, formerly of Eton and the House, was too good-humoured and too charming an individual to deserve the blindness which closed his eyes for ever. And "the King's Friends," they were too obscure, too undistinguished in every way to be worthy of the opprobrium which has been showered on them.

But as villains they did their work; for by their mercenary weakness they made the integrity of Burke and Chatham and Fox stand out in a white blaze of virtue, and if they lost us America, they provided the fertile ground from which the finest speeches in the English language grew up and spread their tendrils of pure oratory.

Let me speak what my soul dictates of the eloquence of Burke, wrote Dr. Parr with pardonable enthusiasm:

of Burke by whose sweetness Athens herself would have been soothed, with whose amplitude and exuberance she would have been enraptured, and on whose lips that prolific mother of genius and science would have adored, confessed, the goddess of inspiration.

As Chatham lay prostrate with gout, his agonies driving him to the borders of insanity, it was this voice of Burke's which spoke out year after year in a vain endeavour to make reason triumph over bribery, and nobility over the ambition of an obstinate King.

These are the arguments of States and Kingdoms. Leave the rest to the schools, for there only they may be discussed with safety. But if intemperately, unwisely, fatally, you sophisticate and poison the very source of government by urging subtle deductions and consequences odious to those you govern, from the unlimited and illimitable nature of supreme sovereignty, you will teach them by these means to call that sovereignty itself in question.

Late in the day he would rise in the Commons when many members had already left. Then, as the rumour went round that he was speaking, they came hurrying back to listen to him intently, to applaud admiringly, and to vote, in loyalty to the bribes they had received, against him.

The struggle was a heart-breaking one for Burke, but strangely it was North who came nearest to being broken by it, as we can see from those vast tomes of correspondence in which he reported to the King the doings of Parliament.

Lord North to the King. Lord North has the honour of informing His Majesty that the Committee went through the greatest part of Mr. Burke's Bill to-day, and had in the course of it several divisions, in all of which Mr. Burke was defeated.

Lord North feels himself so weak and unable to go on for any time, that he cannot help reminding His Majesty of the request he has lately had the honour more than once of submitting to his Majesty's goodness.

The King to Lord North. Lord North cannot doubt that I received with pleasure his account of Mr. Burke's Bill having been defeated before the Committee yesterday.

But he cannot be surprised at the real sorrow occasioned by seeing he persists in the idea that His health will not long permit him to remain in his present situation. . . . There is no means of letting Lord North retire from taking the lead in the House of Commons that will not probably entail evil. . . . He must be the Judge whether he can therefore honourably desert me when inflexible mischief must ensue.

"Inflexible mischief"—that vision of a Miltonic chaos we owe not to (Continued on Page 9.)



"I don't care what the hospital rules are, young lady. Don't try to tell me how to bathe a baby!"

## The Very Idea!

WAR IN HONGKONG

Supreme Court Boycotted  
By Signor Kelly

By Eddie "Musso" Kelly

Since the newspapers seem to print nothing else these days but news of an impending conflict between Abyssinia and Italy, Eddie Kelly has decided that he might as well be in the swim. Only he doesn't see why he should cross the world for his copy, when there's heaps of it lying about in Hongkong. So, just for the purposes of this article, he's written a fantastic story of what would happen if international diplomacy, such as that employed in the present dispute, was suddenly applied to Hongkong.

War clouds loomed in Hongkong yesterday, following the reception by M. Litvinoff, MacGregor, President of the Supreme Court Council, of a complaint from Emperor Selassie Whalesteeth against alleged aggression by Signor Eddie "Musso" Kelly.

Emperor Whalesteeth, who lives in Nathan Road, Kowloon, alleged in his complaint to M. MacGregor that Signor Kelly's house-boy had crossed the harbour from the Peak and had scamped with his (the Emperor's) house boy in his (the same Emperor's) kitchen.

Signor Kelly denies the allegations. "The kitchen belongs to me," he said.

It is reported that Signor Kelly is sending some more house boys across to Kowloon to-morrow morning.

The tension between The Peak and Kowloon houseboys is growing.

Feverish activity was witnessed at the Star Ferry this morning when all available space was taken by Signor Kelly's boys, who are en route to the battle front at Kowloon. Cheering crowds of rickshaw coolies lined the Praya to watch the contingents departing by ferry and walla walla.

Emperor Whalesteeth has appealed to Mr. Stanley Burrell Baldwin to invoke the clauses of the Summary Offences Ordinance dealing with excessive noise at night.

"I can't get a wink of sleep with all those Kelly coolies yawling outside my kitchen every night," he said in an exclusive press interview to-day.

If fighting breaks out between Kowloon and Peak houseboys, Mr. E. Newhouse, who controls all waterways in Hongkong, may prohibit the passage of Kelly coolies along the Mid-Level nullah nullahs. This would force the Peak coolies, unless they used the Peak tram, to proceed to Kowloon around the Repulse Bay Cape.

M. Avenol Hazlerigg, Secretary General of the Supreme Court, announced to-day that M. Litvinoff MacGregor had convened the Court on Wednesday next at the request of Emperor Whalesteeth.

It is considered likely that Signor Kelly will ignore the summons to appear, unless M. MacGregor consents to limit the procedure to dealing with the black eye sustained by Emperor Whalesteeth's boy during last week's kitchen brawl.

Signor Kelly refuses to allow the League Court to discuss the ownership of the kitchen, or Emperor Whalesteeth's allegations that he ultimately plans to seize the whole of the Emperor's house.

Signor Kelly has issued a veiled threat that he will boycott the Supreme Court if it endeavours to extend the scope of next Wednesday's proceedings.

Mrs. Whalesteeth, in exclusive interview with the Telegraph, issued an appeal to the amahs of the Mid Levels to aid the Whalesteeth people in their desire to live in peace and tranquillity.

"In the name of the wash amahs and cook amahs of Nathan Road," Empress Whalesteeth's appeal said, "I declare to the noble and kind cook amahs of the Mid Levels that we desire a peaceful solution of the dispute, which is disrupting our lives."

The Daily Press states that the Hongkong Gas Company is considering despatching coolies to the Whalesteeth kitchen in order to protect the company's gas stove.

Mr. Roosevelt Midbran, whose army of boys and coolies is one of the greatest in the world, announced a two-point programme to-day, aimed at keeping Repulse Bay out of the Kowloon-Peak conflict.

Repulse Bay, New Territory and Mid-Level amahs are being evacuated from the Whalesteeth area.



## European Lost Off Ferryboat

FRUITLESS SEARCH  
IN HARBOUR

## ELUDES WOULD- BE RESCUERS

A distressing tragedy occurred in the harbour shortly after midnight, when Mr. Dave Wolff, of the Gloucester Hotel orchestra, jumped overboard, all efforts to save him proving in vain. The body has not yet been recovered.

Mr. Wolff was a passenger on the ferry launch which left Hongkong at 12.15 a.m., and when the boat had reached the middle of the harbour he was seen to leave his seat suddenly, dive overboard, and leap into the water. A Portuguese passenger, sensing Mr. Wolff's intention, made efforts to drag him back, but these were without avail.

### FRUITLESS EFFORTS

Immediately the incident occurred, the ferry-boat put back and searched the vicinity, and a fireman named Cheung Hung jumped in after Mr. Wolff, but on getting within six feet of him Mr. Wolff sank. Later, other ferryboats appeared on the scene, and, with the aid of searchlights, the search was continued, but without success.

At first, the identity of the missing man was unknown, but later it was established from the fact that in a grey striped tweed coat which he left on the ferry-boat there was found a wallet containing eight visiting cards bearing Mr. Wolff's name, together with a receipt made out in Mr. Wolff's favour. The wallet also contained a visiting card bearing the name of Norval U. Norval, of the a.s. Brøvikken.

### NATURALISED BRITON

The late Mr. David James Wolff was born in Holland, of Jewish extraction, and was a naturalised British subject. He was 39 years of age and leaves a widow and a small daughter. He was formerly in Shanghai and then went to Hongkong three months ago. He organised the popular Gloucester Trio, being the "cellist." He formerly lived in Kowloon Tong and only yesterday moved to a new residence in Hankow Road.

When seen by a *Telegraph* reporter this morning, the Manager of the Gloucester Hotel could throw no light on the tragedy. He stated that "Mr. Wolff left a lot of things addressed to his wife in the office on the ground floor."

## CONTINUED HELP FOR INDUSTRY

(Continued from Page 1.)

policy, the Government did not propose to make any change in the details of the Customs excise or subsidy scales.

The Government had also reviewed the international sugar situation. They believed the various producing countries could only set their sugar industries upon an economic basis by means of an international agreement for the adjustment of supplies to the requirements of world markets. State assistance being diminished as the market conditions improved. They proposed to invite the Governments of the sugar exporting Dominions and Colonies to examine with them the possibility of a joint endeavour to reopen international negotiations if there were a reasonable prospect of a successful issue.—*British Wireless*.

## BRITAIN TO HOLIDAY

MILLIONS EXPECTED  
TO TRAVEL

London, July 30. Railways are making extensive preparation to deal with exceptionally heavy holiday traffic anticipated for next week-end and the August bank holiday period. The Great Western Railway expects to carry some 8,000,000 passengers between August 2 and 8.

The London and North Eastern Railway will run forty-two additional trains from Liverpool Street and sixteen from King's Cross. Special arrangements are being made by the Southern Railway for visits to Chatham, Portsmouth and Plymouth for Navy Week which will be formally opened at Portsmouth next Saturday by the Duke of York, who will perform the ceremony from the starboard cathedral of the *Victory*.—*British Wireless*.

## DANGEROUS TAXATION OPPOSED

MINERS MIGHT BE  
RUINED

## SILVER BLOC TO ACT

(Special to "Telegraph")

Washington, July 30. Congressional delegates from the mining states to-day started a hastily planned fight against the provisions of President Roosevelt's Tax Bill which, they contend, would mean ruin for the Western gold and silver mines if enacted.

The fight started through Representative James G. Scrugham, Democrat of Nevada, discovering that under the present provisions of the Bill, the Government, through the Excess Profits Tax, could seize a large percentage of the net revenue obtained through the development of any vein, pocket or placer deposit of gold or silver.

Representative Scrugham promptly asked the Ways and Means Committee to consider the question again prior to reporting on the Bill to the House of Representatives.

He was, however, told that it was too late.

He therefore called a conference of the silver bloc in the House this morning to formulate plans for amendments identical with those which were inserted in the Revenue Act of 1918.

On of these amendments exempts from Excess Profits Tax that portion of any mining corporation's income which is derived from the mining of gold or silver.—*United*

## COLIJN STILL AT HELM

REFORMS HOLLAND'S  
CABINET

The Hague, July 30. Dr. Colijn, who recently resigned the Premiership, has succeeded in forming a new Cabinet on a broad basis, as requested by Queen Wilhelmina.

The Cabinet includes new Ministers belonging to the Catholic and Liberal Democratic Parties.

The Catholic Parliamentary group has decided to support the new Government.

It is expected that the Lower House will be asked to reconsider the Economic Bill, which led to the downfall of the last Government.—*Reuter*.

Later, The new Cabinet comprises Dr. Colijn, who is Minister for Colonies and temporarily, Minister of Defence; Jhr. A. C. D. de Graeff, Foreign Minister; Dr. E. J. H. van Schaik, Minister of Justice; Dr. J. A. de Wilde, Minister of the Interior; Dr. P. J. Oud, Minister of Finance; Dr. L. N. Deckers, Minister for Agriculture; all of them ministers in the last Cabinet. The new ministers are: Dr. Slingenberg, Minister for Social Affairs, Heer Gollissen, Minister for Commerce and Industry, and Heer de

## New G.O.C. Appointed For China

MAJOR-GENERAL  
A.W. BARTHOLOMEW

## SPLENDID RECORD

London, July 30. The War Office announces that Major-General Arthur Wollaston Bartholomew, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., who has been Inspector of Royal Artillery at the War Office since 1933, has been appointed General Officer Commanding the British Troops in China, in succession to Lieutenant-General O. C. Borrett. The appointment takes effect towards the end of the year.

Major-General Bartholomew, who was born on May 5, 1878, was educated at Marlborough and at Trinity College, Oxford. He entered the Royal Artillery in 1900, was promoted Captain in 1911, Major in 1914, Lieutenant-Colonel in 1927, Colonel in 1929, and Major-General in 1932.

In the Great War, he was mentioned in despatches six times, and received the C.M.G., the C.B.E. and D.S.O. decorations.

He was appointed Instructor of the Senior Officers' School at Sheerness in 1929-30, and commanded the Royal Artillery, Fourth Division, from 1930 to 1932. He was appointed an A.D.C. to the King in 1931.

Major-General Bartholomew married in 1906 Helen May Ethel, daughter of the late General W. W. Anderson.—*Reuter*.

### BRITISH FINANCES

London, July 30. Exchequer returns show that the ordinary revenue to date, excluding self-balancing items, amount to £179,988,183, compared with £180,393,847 at the corresponding date of last year. The ordinary expenditure, exclusive of self-balancing items, is £238,638,500, against £231,899,394 at the corresponding date of 1934.—*British Wireless*.

### RADIO-PHONE SERVICE

London, July 30. The Post Office announces the inauguration on August 1 of a radio-telephone service between Great Britain and Ireland.—*British Wireless*.

Feude, Minister for Waterways.—*Reuter*.

### WELL RECEIVED

The Hague, July 30. News of the personnel of the new Dutch Cabinet has been well received.

The only one of the ministers who has not served in some Cabinet is Dr. Slingenberg, a Liberal Democrat member of the First Chamber. The Ministry is before consists of anti-revolutionaries, Roman Catholics, Christian Historical Party and Liberal Democrats.

It is believed that after passing a vote of confidence the Chamber will adjourn for the summer recess.—*Reuter*.

## STEAMERS PREPARED FOR GALE

TYPHOON ALARMS  
IN COLONY

## SHIPS QUIT DOCKS

Early risers this morning were surprised to see the N.Y.K. liner Chichibu Maru steaming up the harbour. The ship was scheduled to leave Hongkong for America at midnight.

Actually the Chichibu Maru spent the night in Kowloon Bay, leaving Kowloon Wharf at 6 p.m. yesterday.

This morning, Captain Y. Arakida stated that he would have preferred to leave Hongkong at the open sea, or more probably to get the passengers aboard in such short notice, however, and he was forced to return. This morning the ship berthed again at Kowloon as it was considered too inconvenient to take so many passengers down to Kowloon Bay in launches. She sailed at noon to-day.

There will be no delay in the ship's schedule caused by the 12-hour extra stay here, said Captain Arakida, for the midnight sailing was merely to catch very favourable tides in Shanghai. The ship may be one or two hours late in arriving there.

The only other ship at Kowloon Wharf yesterday when No. 6 typhoon signal was hoisted was the J.C.J.L. steamer Van Heutz, and she too, was ordered to move away from the wharf. She went into the stream to a buoy.

At 8 o'clock this morning the Douglas steamer Haitan arrived from Swatow, but beyond a fairly heavy swell, those on board had nothing to report of the typhoon. While the ship was in Swatow the typhoon was about 40 miles away, and though all except two other ships remained at anchor in Swatow it was not considered likely that there would be any trouble there.

The Haitan left the port at 4 p.m. yesterday and about the same time the steamer Daviken left, also for Hongkong. The Hupeh left for the north, but as the typhoon had crossed onto the land some time before and the Hupeh intended making a detour to sea it was not expected that she would encounter anything more than a heavy swell.

Owing to the very bad atmospheric conditions the Haitan was not in wireless communication with Hongkong between the time of her sailing and about midnight, while other ports were not picked up until after 3 o'clock this morning.

### THE TYPHOON

The Manila Observatory, reporting at 8.50 a.m. to-day, states that the typhoon is in about 114° Long., 24° Lat., moving west. This position is well inland between Swatow and Amoy, and north-west of Canton.

The No. 6 signal, which was hoisted in Hongkong yesterday afternoon, was lowered at 6.30 this morning.

### NOTES OF THE DAY

(Continued from Page 6.)

The Empress of Canada is due here from Shanghai at 7 a.m. on Friday.

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts received the following selling and buying rates for their Manila Agents this morning:—Benguet Consols, 12.20; 12.00; Antamoks, .80; 78; Baguio, .25; 24; 78; Rivers, 4 1/2.

Professor L. T. Ride will deliver his first lecture on "The Application of Genetics to Certain Medical Problems" at the Surgery School of the University to-morrow at 4 p.m. Graduates and friends are cordially invited to attend.

Pleading guilty before Mr. Maczayden at the Central Magistracy this morning to the theft of a roll of wire, valued at 80 cents, the property of the Woo Lee firm of building contractors, at Des Voeux Road West, near Queen's Street, Chan Muk, a Chinese, was bound over in a sum of \$50 for one year. Inspector Smith stated that defendant was arrested by a district watchman carrying the wire wrapped up in cloth. Defendant told the watchman he had taken it from the contractors.

An unemployed man, Lo Hop-ping, appeared before Mr. Maczayden at the Central Magistracy this morning on charges of unlawful possession of two radiator caps at Hollywood Road, and theft of a radiator cap. Two other charges of theft of radiator caps were withdrawn. Det. Serg. Gold said defendant was arrested in Hollywood Road with the caps in his possession. On the first charge, defendant was fined \$50, or one month's hard labour, and, on the other charges, was sentenced to three months' hard labour each, all the terms to run consecutively.

## RADIO BROADCAST

Violin Recital From  
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7-11 p.m. European Programme:  
7-7.30 p.m. Orchestral Music.  
Carnaval Overture (Dvorak, Op. 92).  
Ave Maria (Meditation).  
(Bach-Gounod).  
Ave Maria (Schubert).  
Pomp and Circumstance March  
(No. 3 in C) (Elgar).  
Pomp and Circumstance March  
(No. 4 in G) (Elgar).  
Tschalkovsky in Vienna  
(arr. Walter).  
7.30-7.45 p.m. A Recital by Alfred  
Piccaver (Tenor).  
1. Beauty's Eyes (Tosti); 2. Love  
sends a Little Gift of Roses (Open-  
shaw); 3. Thank God for a Garden  
(Del Rigo); 4. Roses of Picardy  
(Haydn Wood).  
7.45-8 p.m. The J. H. Squire  
Celeste Octet.  
Operatic (Famous Operatic  
Melodies) (arr. J. H. Squire).  
Putting the Clock Back (Famous  
Folk Songs of Britain)  
(arr. J. H. Squire).  
8 p.m. Local Time and Weather  
Report.

8.03-8.20 p.m. From the Studio.  
A Violin Recital by Miss Fruu  
Lewis accompanied by Nura Kanis.  
Programme:  
1. 2nd Hungarian Dance (Brahms);  
2. Hymn to the Sun (Rimsky-  
Korsakov); 3. English Dance (Dale);  
4. Breath O' June (McEwen); 5.  
Londonderry Air (arr. O'Connor).  
8.20-8.30 p.m. "Song Carnival of  
1932 Stars."  
8.30-9 p.m. Variety.  
Piano Solo—Judy Carroll Gibbons.  
Song—Blue Moon.  
Song—You and the night and  
the Music.  
Leslie Hutchinson.  
Instrumental—Tunes with Pep.  
The Bugle Call Raggers.  
Song—Love's Last word is spoken.  
Gracie Fields (Comedienne).  
Piano Solo—Jill Darling—  
Selection.  
Piano Solo—If I Love again.  
Patricia Rosborough.  
Orchestra—Silly Symphonies  
(arr. Munro).  
9-9.15 p.m. A Relay from Daven-  
try.  
Davenport News Bulletin (Copyright  
by Reuter).  
9.15-9.30 p.m. Musical Comedy.  
Vocal Gems—Bitter Sweet (Coward).  
Selection—One Hour with you  
Medley.  
9.30-10 p.m. From the Studio.  
Selections by "The Music Makers."  
10 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletin.  
10.05-11 p.m. Dance Music.  
11 p.m. Close Down.

## ATTACKING TAXATION

BIG PACKERS START  
ACTIONS

Chicago, July 30. Sixteen big packers, including the powerful and rich Swift and Armour corporations, have filed suits attacking the validity of the processing tax on pork products.

On the other hand, the Texas Agricultural Association intends to file suit to test the constitutionality of the protective tariffs, admitting that the action is retaliation to the suits filed by the manufacturers against payment of processing taxes.

The Association contends that if it is forced to sell in the open market it also wants to buy there.—*Reuter*.

### COLONIAL APPOINTMENT

London, July 30. It is announced by the Colonial Office that Mr. H. C. D. C. MacKenzie Kennedy, late Chief Secretary of Northern Rhodesia, is to be appointed Chief Secretary of Tanganyika Territory, in succession to Mr. P. E. Mitchell, whose appointment as Governor of Uganda was announced recently.—*British Wireless*.

### AIR LINK WITH SIAM

Shanghai, July 31. The Eurasia Aviation Company announces that a new Junker plane will leave for Siam to-morrow for trial flights between Siam and Chengtu, over which route a passenger and mail service will shortly be inaugurated.—*Reuter*.

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London, July 30. The House of Commons, which rises on August 2, will reassemble on October 28.—*Reuter*.

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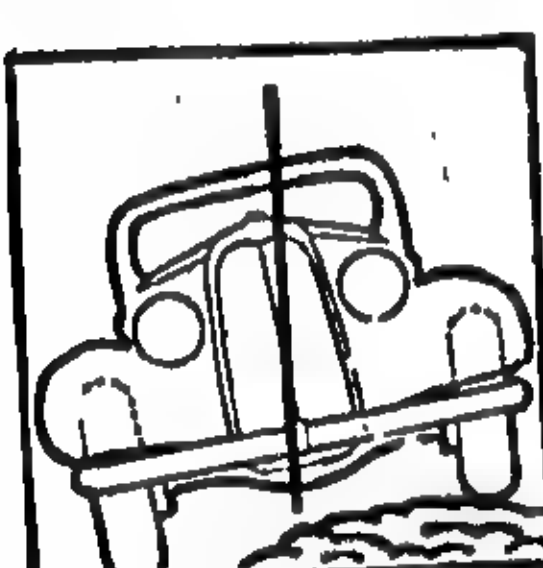
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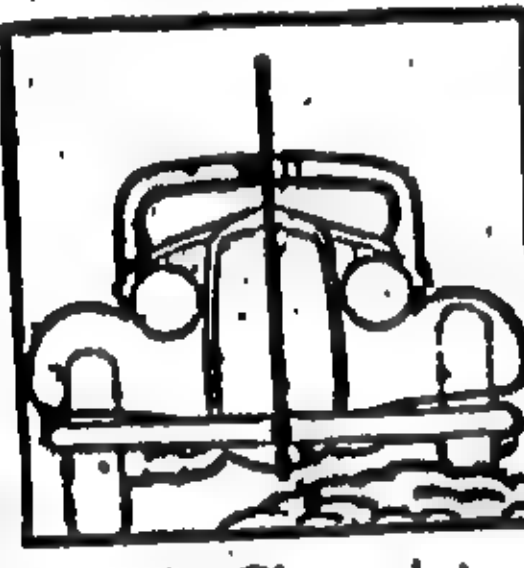
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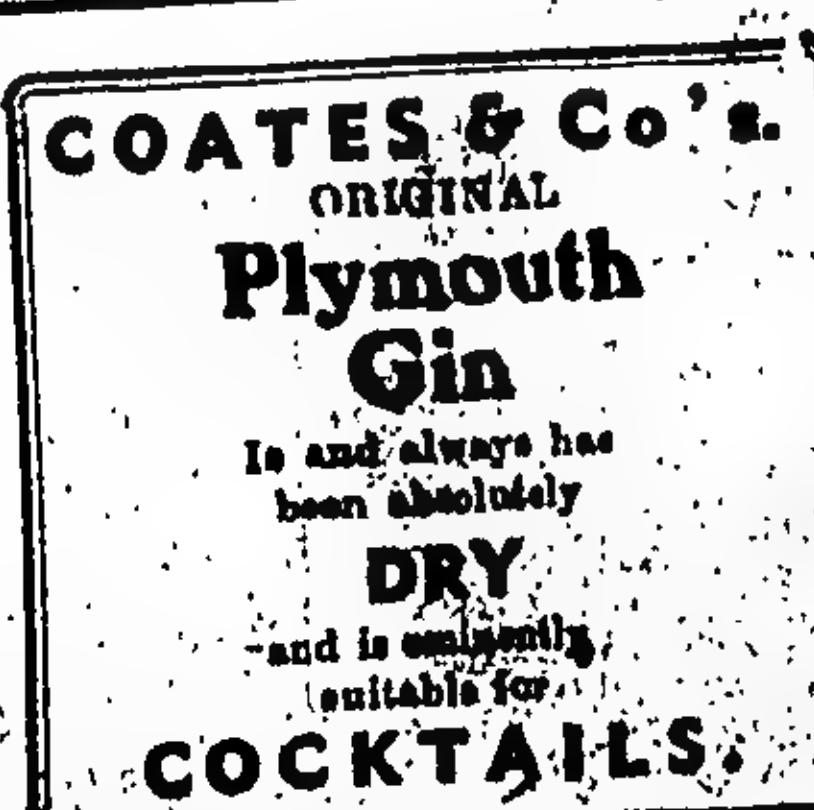


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# YORKSHIRE'S FAILURE TO FORCE HOME ADVANTAGE

## Big First Innings Lead Of No Avail

### Leading Baseball Teams Lose

#### GIANTS SHARE A DOUBLE HEADER

#### VERGEZ SCORES TWO RUNS

New York, July 30. The Detroit Tigers and the New York Yankees, leaders of the American Baseball League, together with the New York Giants and the St. Louis Cardinals, the top teams in the National Championship, were all defeated to-day.

The Giants, however, partially retrieved themselves by winning the second match of a double header from the Philadelphia Phillies, to whom they lost the first game by a convincing margin. During the first contest Verges scored two home runs for the Philadelphia outfit.

The Cardinals had their colours lowered by Cincinnati Reds, to whom they lost by six runs to five. The Detroit Tigers were playing the St. Louis Browns when they lost their fixture to-day while the Yankees had as their opponents, the Philadelphia Athletics.

Results of to-day's matches follow:

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	6	10	1
Chicago	8	11	0

(Tokoy scored a home run for the Indians and Washington for the Red Sox.)

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	8	12	0
Detroit	6	12	1

(Sellers scored a home run for the Browns and Fox for the Tigers.)

	R.	H.	E.
New York	5	11	1
Philadelphia	6	9	2

(Bill Dickey scored a home run for the Yankees and Higgins for the Athletics.)

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	11	13	1
Washington	4	4	3

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	11	11	1
New York	5	10	1

(Verges scored two home runs for the Phillies while Jackson and Stout scored for the Giants.)

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	2	8	2
New York	8	9	2

(Chicago scored a home run for the Pirates.)

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	5	10	1
Cincinnati	6	13	0

#### STEWARDS' CUP

#### Thrilling Finish At Goodwood

London, July 30. The following was the result of the Stewards' Cup at Goodwood to-day: Green Ore (Sam Wragge), 7 to 1; Almond Hill (Harry Wragge), 100 to 1; Ora Deane (H. Forster), 100 to 1; Seventeen ran. The race was won by a head, and there was the same distance between second and third.—Reuter.

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With apparently as little effort as this jump seemed to be, Jesse Owens, the Negro track marvel of Ohio State University, more than lived up to advance notices by winning the 100-yard dash, 228 dash, 228 low hurdles and the broad jump in the National Collegiate Athletic Association meet at Edwards Track Stadium, University of California. Stars of 80 universities and colleges competed.

### TOURISTS DRAW

#### SOUTH AFRICANS NOW UNBEATABLE

#### CRICKET TEST AT MANCHESTER

London, July 30. A. D. Nourse, brought into the team in the place of I. J. Siedle, played an enterprising innings in the Fourth Test match at Old Trafford, where England and South Africa drew, thus leaving the tourists with one victory to their credit with one match to go.

After England had declared their second innings closed at 231 for six wickets, the South Africans made no attempt to score the runs, requiring, as they did, 271 to win in three hours and 45 minutes.

After losing Rowan and Viljoen, the hero of the first innings, Mitchell and Nourse became associated, but although they scored off the loose balls they were declined to force the pace. Nourse, however, played an enterprising innings and the pair sent up the 160 made in 195 minutes. Nourse took 65 minutes for his first fifty. At the close of play the South Africans had 169 for two wickets, both of which fell to Robins. The innings lasted 225 minutes.

Scores: ENGLAND—1ST. INNS. 357; SOUTH AFRICA—1ST. INNS. 318; ENGLAND—2ND. INNS. 211; SOUTH AFRICA—2ND. INNS. 169.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Crisp	11	0	43	1
Bell	1	0	8	0
Langton	25	2	80	1
Vincent	26	0	78	4
Dalton	4	0	23	0

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Rowan, h.w., b. Robins	49	1	81	2
Mitchell, not out	48	1	81	2

### MISS BRITAIN IV UNDER WAY

#### NEW SPEEDBOAT CHALLENGER

#### BEING BUILT AT NORTHAM

A British speed-boat of entirely new and daringly original design may be the next challenger for the Harmsworth motor-boat trophy, now held by the United States.

The *New Chronicle* understands that an English challenger is being built at Northam, Southampton, and that its construction is well advanced.

Closest secrecy is being maintained. All that is known is that the boat is of the most unorthodox design.

When completed, it will probably be taken from Southampton to an isolated spot for secret trials. The challenger would become Miss Britain IV, and would participate in the international race for the trophy at Detroit next year.

Miss Britain III, raced by Mr. Hubert Scott-Paine, was narrowly defeated by Commodore Gar Wood, in Miss America X, in September, 1933. After, on her return to England, smashing the British sea mile record at Poole, Miss Britain III, which cost £25,000, burst into flames and was burnt out.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Viljoen, h.w., Robins	10	1	84	1
Nourse, not out	53	1	84	1
Extras	9	1	84	1

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Bowes	15	1	84	1
Tate	9	2	20	0
Hammond	5	1	15	0
Vorley	20	10	24	1
Robins	19	8	31	2
Leyland	12	4	28	0
Bakewell	8	1	8	0

#### RESULTS AT A GLANCE

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP  
Yorkshire (421) beat Notts (232 and 286 for 8 wickets) on first innings.  
Kent (579 for a wicket, dec. and 80 for 0 wicket) beat Surrey (290 and 388) by ten wickets.  
Leicestershire (444 and 60 for 0 wicket) beat Worcestershire (344 and 157) by ten wickets.  
Warwickshire (286 and 288 for 4 wickets, dec.) beat Glamorgan (235 and 186) by 123 runs.  
Sussex (382 and 89 for 4 wickets) beat Gloucestershire (187 and 290) by six wickets.  
Lancashire (239 and 164 for 4 wickets) beat Hampshire (125 and 347) on first innings.

### Local Bowls Contests To-day

#### SEMI-FINAL OF PAIRS EVENT

#### TWO SINGLES GAMES

Postponed on account of the heavy rain last Wednesday's Lawn Bowls programme is to be played off this afternoon.

In the Pairs Championship M. J. Medina and J. Cavanagh, of the Craigengower Club, will meet S. Eccleshall and J. Shepherd, the Civil Service-Police combination, in the semi-final round on the Kowloon B.G.C. green.

Two matches are also to be played in the Singles Championship to-day. A. M. Holland, of the Kowloon B.G.C., is down to play E. el Arculli, of the Craigengower C.C., on the Civil Service C.C. green, and F. Cullen, of the Kowloon Dock R.C., will meet A. Hyde-Lay, of the Kowloon Cricket Club, on the Club de Recreio green.

### MORE AMAZING GOLF

#### JIM FERRIER IN AUSTRALIA

#### RECORD ROUND PLAYED

The most remarkable golf ever seen in Queensland was played by "Jim" Ferrier, of Sydney, in two rounds of 64 and 63 in the Queensland amateur championship at Yeppoon last month, when he defeated A. H. Colledge thirteen up and twelve to play in the semi-final.

It was considered to be Ferrier's best performance of a brilliant career. His mastery of the game was almost unbelievable, and his aggregate of 127 was fifteen under the par of the course, which is 71 for over 6,400 yards.

Ferrier's feat cannot be recognised as a record, as the figures were not recorded in a stroke round, but they must be regarded as the best scores ever made in Brisbane. His 64 in the morning was two strokes below C. Brown's record for the course, and equalled Gene Sarazen's 64 against a similar par of 71 at the Royal Queensland Club's course.

Ferrier's afternoon round of 63 set a new record for golf in Queensland. His cards were:—

First Round.—Out: 4, 4, 3, 3, 3, 3, 4. Total, 82.  
In: 3, 3, 3, 4, 3, 5, 4, 4, 3. Total, 32.

Second Round.—Out: 4, 3, 4, 3, 4, 2, 4, 3, 4. Total, 31.  
In: 4, 4, 3, 3, 4, 4, 3, 3, 4. Total, 32.

Ferrier's first round contained seven "birdies" and an "eagle," and in the afternoon he had eight "birdies." He thus beat par at 18 holes in two rounds.

In the other match, C. C. Ruwald (N.S.W.) beat D. Jenkinson, two up and one.

Ferrier beat Ruwald in the final the next day four and two.

The sixteenth annual R.N. and R.M. championships will be held at Wimbledon on July 31, August 1 and 2.

### LEADERS ONLY SECURE FIVE POINTS

#### YOUNG RESERVE BATSMAN SHINES FOR THE NORTHERNERS

#### HUGE SCORE BY KENT AGAINST SURREY AT THE OVAL

London, July 30. After scoring a first innings total of 421 runs in their match against Notts at Sheffield in the County Cricket Championship, Yorkshire, who had secured a lead of nearly 200 runs, was unable to force home her advantage and at the close of play had to be satisfied with points for a lead on first innings.

The absence of their best players from Sheffield was probably responsible for their failure to win, particularly as their bowlers, Bowes and Verity, were included among those whose services were required by their country at Old Trafford.

However, the exclusion from the side of such prominent batsmen as Barber and Leyland made it necessary for the county to call upon the reserves and this gave Gibb an opportunity to reveal his potentialities. The youngster played the best innings of his career and knocked up 187 runs without losing his wicket, beating even the brilliance of Sutcliffe who scored 135 runs for Yorkshire, whose first innings totalled 421.

Yorkshire's score had been made in reply to a total of 252 which Notts put up in their innings. Of these Keeton contributed 120, his first century of the season. In their second innings Notts had 286 runs for eight wickets when stumps were drawn.

#### WOOLLEY STILL IN FORM

Frank Woolley, in his 40th year, is still capable of making runs and he demonstrated this at the Oval where Kent beat the home county by ten wickets in a match in which A. Sandham took his benefit.

Kent rattled up the huge score of 579 runs for eight wickets declared, Woolley scoring 223 and Fagg 111. Surrey's reply to this total was 209, Freeman taking five for 99. In the follow-on Surrey scored 368, Barling being responsible for 113.

Kent knocked off the 80 runs without loss.

Leicestershire also gained a ten-wicket victory over Worcestershire in the match at Leicester, where the visitors made 344 runs in their first innings. Quilley contributed 101 and Martin 124, while Smith took six of the wickets for 77 runs.

Leicestershire replied with a score of 444, Armstrong making 101. Featured their victory gained by Warwickshire by 123 runs against Glamorgan at Birmingham.

In Warwickshire's first innings which topped 200 runs, Santall made 122 while Dollery scored 101 without being dismissed in the second innings, which realised 268 for eight wickets declared.

Glamorgan's first innings had reached 225 when the last wicket fell and in the second innings Hollies, in taking seven for 64, dismissed the side for 186.

Sussex won her match at Bristol against Gloucestershire by six wickets, the victory being due to the consistency of Wensley and James Langridge.

Sussex scored 382 runs in her first innings and when Gloucestershire was dismissed for 187, the follow-on was enforced. The home side then lost the last wicket for 200 runs. In the first innings Wensley took six for 43 and in the second James Langridge had seven for 72.

Sussex made 99 for four wickets.—Reuter.

#### AGAINST PERRY IN DAVIS CUP

#### BUT CHAMPION IS SUPREME

London, July 30. In beating Wilmer Allison in the final match of the Davis Cup Competition Challenge Round at Wimbledon, Fred Perry played spectacular tennis.

Allison served aces and volleyed grandly for the first three but he was not able to hold Perry after that. It was not until the fourth set that Perry loosened his big guns and he then drove and volleyed spectacularly.

After losing the first set he won the second, and third and then fourth when Allison countered with a great stand in an endeavour to retrieve a lost situation. The American pulled up to 3-5 but then lost two of the most brilliant and longest rallies of the match.

Perry won by 4-6, 6-4, 7-5, 6-8, after R. W. Austin had beaten Donald Budge 6-2, 6-2, 6-4, 7-5, by producing the greatest tennis of his career to avenge his Wimbledon defeat.—Reuter.



Appropriately enough A. Sandham, who scored his 100th century recently, took his benefit in the match between Surrey and Kent at the Oval.

### Former H.K. Champion Sees Wimbledon

#### MRS. JAMES STILL PLAYING

(By "Veritas").

Wimbledon, July 5. Half an hour before the men's singles final was due to begin to-day I met Mrs. James, 1933 ladies singles and doubles tennis champion of Hongkong, outside of the main entrance to the Centre Court.

Mrs. James had come up from Pailinton to see the Big Match and I found her looking and feeling very fit. She was keenly interested to hear about old friends of the tennis courts in Hongkong and said that it was possible she might return to the Colony some day.

Mrs. James is still playing tennis although she has not yet participated in any open tournament of note. However, she is entering for her club championships in August, where, she said, the standard of play is fairly good, but does not quite reach the best in Hongkong.

She wished to be remembered to all friends in Hongkong and added "The best of luck to the Hongkong ladies in the Interport this year."

Mrs. James is herself an old Interporter. She first played in 1929 and again in 1931. She won the ladies-singles title of the Colony in 1933 after twice before reaching the final, and in the same year she carried off the ladies doubles championship.

Her late husband, Mr. C. P. F. James was one time hon. secretary of the Hongkong Lawn Tennis Association.

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# WOMEN'S SEMI-FINALS AT WIMBLEDON

## HELEN JACOBS WINS COMFORTABLY

### Mrs. Helen Moody Gives A Great Display

By H. S. SCRIVENER

London, July 5.

Wimbledon's Women's Singles Championship is bound to revert to America, for the finalists who emerged yesterday are Mrs. Moody and Miss Jacobs.

The last time they met was in the final of the U.S.A. Championship in 1933 when Mrs. Moody retired in favour of Miss Jacobs with the score at 6-0, 6-2, 6-0, against her and was out of tournament play until she came this year to England to compete at a few meetings before trying her luck once more at Wimbledon.

Mrs. Moody is popular with English crowds (apart from her good looks) because of her serene and undemonstrative behaviour, and her survival to the final yesterday at the expense of another equally popular Wimbledon favourite, Miss Hartigan, of Australia, was hailed with joy as well as the clapping of hands.

Before this happened we saw Miss Jacobs beat Mrs. Spurling in one of the tamiest semi-finals ever seen on the centre court. Both are players who rely mainly on safety first and wearing-down tactics. Both lived up to the proceedings, especially by volleying, for both are good volleyers, and why they don't do it more often I am quite at a loss to understand.

However, this is entirely by the way. I need only recount that six games they played the wait-and-see game more or less industriously but not too conspicuously well, that after that Miss Jacobs, with the score at 3-3, started to tighten up her chopping game and developed an accuracy which became more and more relentless as time went on, whereas Mrs. Spurling went to put it quite plainly, more or less to pieces. Which just shows what a funny game lawn tennis is.

#### PAST HISTORY

I am told that Mrs. Spurling has not lost a set since Wimbledon last year, and that is possibly the reason why she was seeded No. 2, but it is significant that she then lost to Miss Hartigan, who was beaten by Miss Jacobs. Going a little further back, Miss Jacobs and Mrs. Spurling have each won matches against the other at Wimbledon, and Mrs. Spurling has been a finalist like Miss Jacobs, but yesterday Miss Jacobs was, on the day, the dominant player. After 3-3 in the first set, she did not lose another game, and for seriously she is just about Mrs. Moody's equal.

Let us now proceed to praise Mrs. Moody once again. She gave us another gorgeous display of what America's Mrs. Moody can do when she is really confident that she can score winners. She found that Miss Hartigan's second serve was vulnerable and proceeded to fire at the chalk in a manner which gave the linesmen the time of their lives, and had an obviously unsettling effect upon Miss Hartigan. Nevertheless, I say with conviction that Miss Hartigan's game was a fine one. She might have said with perfect propriety: "Don't blame me, blame Mrs. Moody!"

The difference between the game in which she beat Miss Round and yesterday's battle was that against Miss Round she was able to call the tune more or less often, whereas against Mrs. Moody she was much less frequently able to do so—though she managed it pretty often—and was thus lured into "pressing"—that very expressive golfing phrase—with frequent fatal results.

#### CURIOUS RUN OF PLAY

The run of the play was distinctly curious, and I must confess to being more or less unable to fathom its real significance. With great reluctance, I must, for want of a better excuse, since Miss Hartigan twice needed some sort of an excuse, put it down to the present-day instability of the prompters. These sentences are remarks are prompted by the fact that Miss Hartigan led by 3-1 in the first set and did not get another game in it, and by 3-0 in the second set and did not get another game in that either. Yet she played championship lawn tennis, though not quite regularly

enough for the occasion; Mrs. Moody played it almost—I will not say quite in her own inimitable fashion, I am hoping for a great final. My one regret is that there is not an Englishwoman in it, as there ought to have been.

#### MEN'S DOUBLES

While these things were happening on the Centre Court the Australian pair, Crawford and Quist, were having quite a stormy passage in the men's doubles against the only remaining French pair, Bousquet and Bernard, since Bonetti and Brugnon, beaten by Hughes and Tuckey, are out.

The Australians won in three decidedly hectic sets by 6-4, 8-11, 18-11, and will now oppose the two sprightly young Americans, Budge and Mako, in the semi-final.

These two best friends of the tennis service in hand, but failed and partner teamed at 0-7. Mako and partner then proceeded to win the fourth set fairly comfortably, but in the fifth Budge and Mako, almost writhing under this set-back, went right out for the kill. They were not losing any more service games, and the winning of Wood's service for 3-1 meant the match at 6-3.

#### ENGLISH "HOPES"

We may see another pan-American final in this event, for Allison and Van Ryn beat the South Africans, Bertram and Musgrave, without much difficulty; but the two English "hopes," Hughes and Tuckey, who have to meet them, scored a significantly clean-cut victory against Andrews and Rogers.

It was left, however, for the women's doubles to furnish the song of the afternoon—the defeat of Miss Hartigan and Miss Lyle by Mrs. Dearman and Mrs. Kirk. We are reminded of the house that Jack built in the days of our childhood. "This is the pair that beat the pair that beat the pair," and so on.

I have already described, I fear somewhat laboriously, the events which led up to the defeat of Madame Henriot and Mrs. Andrus, seeded No. 1, by Miss Dearman and Miss Lyle, and now they are out. What is going to happen to Mrs. Haylock and Mrs. Kirk? I tremble to think, and perhaps Miss Stammer and Miss James, who beat Mrs. Jedrejzowska and Miss Noel fairly handsomely, are trembling just a little bit likewise.

#### WOMEN'S SINGLES

##### SEMI-FINAL ROUND

Mrs. F. S. Moody (U.S.A.) beat Miss J. Hartigan (Australia), 6-3, 6-1.

Miss H. Jacobs (U.S.A.) beat Mrs. S. Spurling (Denmark), 6-3, 6-0.

#### MEN'S DOUBLES

##### FOURTH ROUND

W. L. Allison and J. Van Ryn beat M. Bertram and W. Musgrave, 6-1, 10-8, 6-0.

G. F. Hughes and C. R. D. Tuckey beat D. Andrews and G. L. Rogers, 6-3, 6-2.

D. Budge and G. Mako beat E. Maller and R. Wood, 6-3, 6-4, 7-5, 6-4.

J. H. Crawford and A. K. Quist beat M. Bernard and C. Bousquet, 6-2, 6-4, 6-3.

#### WOMEN'S DOUBLES

##### FOURTH ROUND

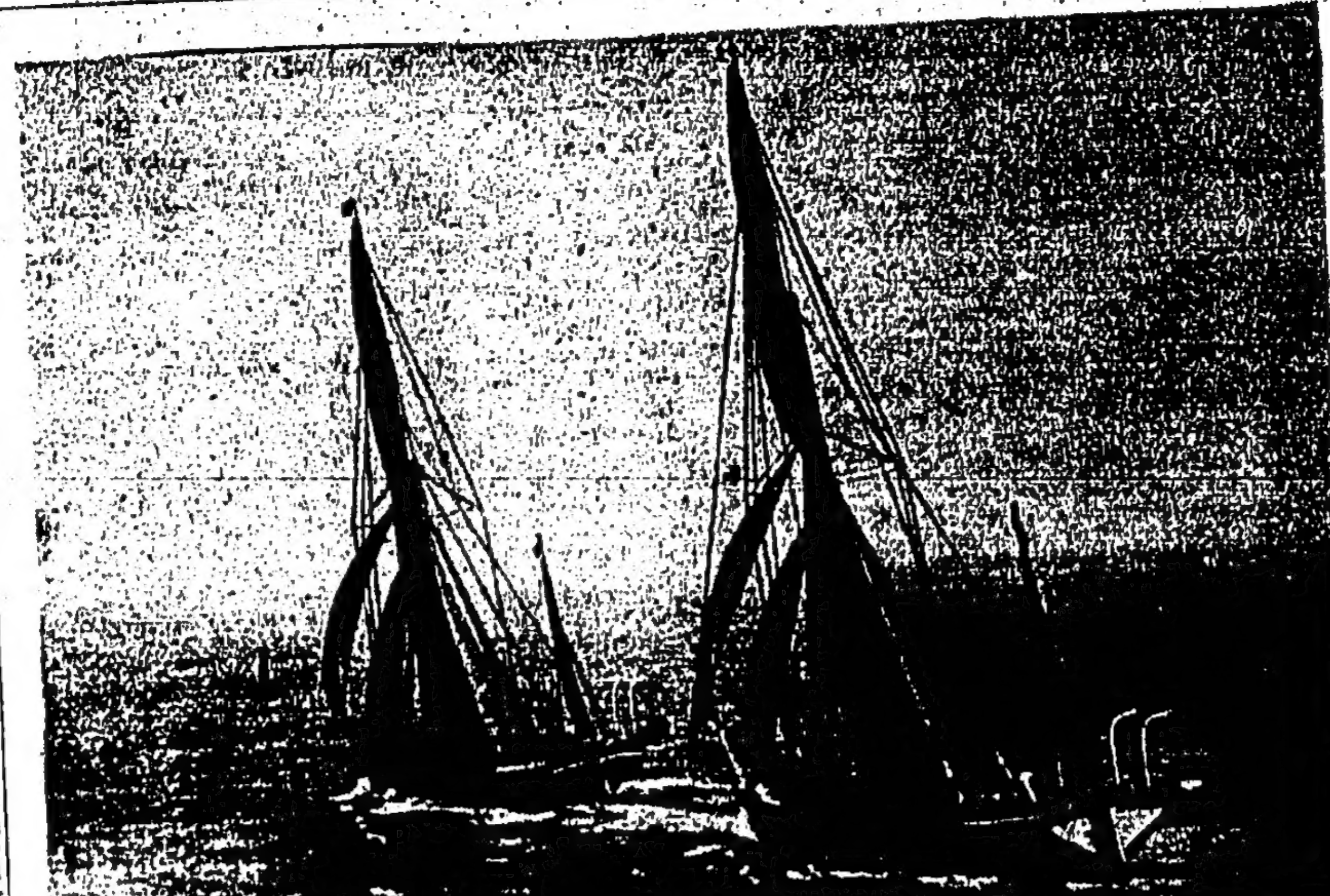
Miss K. E. Stammer and Miss F. James beat Miss J. Jedrejzowska and Miss S. Noel, 6-2, 6-3.

Mrs. R. E. Haylock and Mrs. J. S. Kirk beat Miss E. M. Dearman and Miss N. M. Lyle, 7-5, 7-6, 6-4.

#### MIXED DOUBLES

##### FOURTH ROUND

H. C. Hopman and Mrs. H. C. Hopman beat H. V. Austin and Miss A. M. Yorks, 11-9, 3-6, 6-2.



The Sailing Saxon is in full swing and many races are arranged during summer time. The above picture shows a view from Thames from the race from Graveland down the Thames and back.

## NEEDLE MATCH TO BE PLAYED

### IN "B" DIVISION TENNIS LEAGUE

#### CHINESE R. C. & SOUTH CHINA

The two leading teams in the "B" Division of the local Lawn Tennis League, the Chinese R.C. and the South China Athletic Association, are due to meet this afternoon on the latter's courts at King's Park.

The Hongkong players are the present leaders of the Division but merely by virtue of having played and won one match more than their Kowloon rivals. The top club won five encounters and secured an aggregate of 41 games against 34 while the Kowloon side won four matches and 33½ games to two and a half.

The programme for this afternoon is as follows:

Indian R.C.	v.	Hongkong C.C.
University	v.	Civil Service
Kowloon C.C.	v.	Club de Recreo
South China	v.	Chinese R.C.

#### LEAGUE TABLE

The league table for the "B" Division is appended:

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Sets	A.	Pts.
Chinese R.C.	5	8	—	—	23½	25	8
South China	4	4	—	—	27½	17½	6
Recreo	5	3	2	2	21½	17½	6
Civil Service	5	3	2	2	18½	19½	4
Hongkong C.C.	4	2	2	2	16½	19½	4
Kowloon C.C.	3	1	1	2	12	16	3
University	3	1	2	1	11	20½	3
Indian R.C.	2	1	2	1	8½	20½	1
C.R.A.	7	—	7	—	8½	54½	—

Leicester Rugby Club made a profit last season of £572—an increase of £271 over the previous year. The club's deficiency is estimated at £5,983.

C. F. Maffey and Miss M. Healey beat M. Bertram and Miss E. H. Harvey, 6-4, 6-1.

A. K. Quist and Miss J. Jedrejzowska beat A. K. Archibald and Miss G. A. Clarke, 6-2, 6-2.

V. D. McGrath and Miss J. Hartigan beat H. Nakamura and Miss S. Noel, 6-3, 6-4.

#### FIFTH ROUND

G. von Cramm and Miss S. Spurling beat D. J. Turnbull and Missorina L. Valerio, 6-4, 3-6, 6-1.

Hopman and Mrs. Hopman beat V. H. D. Wilde and Miss K. E. Stammer, 7-5, 6-1.

F. J. Perry and Miss D. E. Rowland beat Maffey and Miss Healey, 7-5, 6-2, 6-1.

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#### COMMISSIONER'S RULING

Albany, N.Y., July 18.

A new life is opening for Edwin C. (Alabama) Pitts, paroled Sing Sing convict and former star baseball player of the Penitentiary baseball team.

Following the ruling by Kenesaw Mountain Landis, Commissioner of Baseball and known as the "Supreme Court" of baseball, allowing him to play the game for the Albany team of the International League, Pitts has signed a brand new playing contract with the club.

Landis overruled the decision of the committee of the International League, which decided that Pitts could not play in the League because he was an ex-convict.

The only stipulation made by Landis, which makes the contract different from the original one Pitts was going to sign when the International League commissioners stepped in, was that Pitts must not play in any exhibition games. The object of this was to prevent any possible exploitation of Pitts as a curiosity, in view of his past prison life.

## EXCHANGE RATES

	July 29.	July 30.
Paris	75.3/64	76.1/64
Geneva	15.17½	15.17
Berlin	12.20	12.20
Athens	518	60.7/10
Milan	60½	1/6
Shanghai	1/6 1/10	4.96 1/10
New York	4.96 1/10	7.31½
Amsterdam	7.31½	20
Vienna	28	110½
Prague	119.9/16	625
Bucharest	362	36.7/32
Madrid	36.1/16	110½
Lisbon	110½	2/18
Hongkong	2/18 1/16	29.33
Brussels	29.33	39½
Montevideo	39½	217
Belgrade	217	4.98 1/4
Montréal	4.98 1/4	1/2 5/32
Yokohama	1/2 5/32	220½
Helsingfors	220½	15
Rio	15	30.3/16
Buenos Aires	30.3/16	30½
Silver (Spot)	30½	106½
Silver (Forward)	106½	—
War Loan	—	—

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## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

### MARKET IRREGULAR YESTERDAY

New York, July 30.

The following reports on the New York Stock market have been received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz:

The Wall Street Journal report on yesterday's market: Stocks today were irregular and traders took profits, though rails, however, were bought heavily. U.S. Steel, common, reached a high point for the year in expectation that the forthcoming dividend announcement would be favourable. Stocks on the curb exchange rallied, being led by oil shares. Bonds were upward.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: The market developed a mixed trend, but the under-current on the whole was firm. National Power & Light Company's shares earned 82 cents per share for the year ending June 30, as against 94 cents per share for the previous year. Demand deposits at present total \$15,554,000,000.

Business failures for the past week amounted to 221. New York and Chicago commodity reports received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz: Cotton: The first private estimate published indicates a crop of 11,750,000 bales.

Wheat: The market was easy on cables indicating a favourable European crop and on the late weakness of the mill markets. Sharply reduced private estimates are forecast and we expect buying on any further easiness of corn.

Rubber: It is reported that an effort was made by Trade Interests to depress the market at the close in order to enable them to purchase spots. Consumer demand is improving.

## REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow-Jones Averages:

	July 29.	July 30.
30 Industrials	125.66	125.67
20 Rails	35.25	34.86
20 Utilities	23.28	22.90
40 Bonds	96.98	96.85
11 Commodity Index	55.22	54.91

## WATER LEVELS

FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province issues the following report on water levels, in English feet, for the West, North and East Rivers:

Place of Observation	W. L. on record	W. L. on record	July 29.	July 30.
West River at Shikung	+41.0	0	21.1	21.7
North River at Tientsin	+14.9	0	14.9	12.1
East River at Shanghai	+17.8	-5	14.1	14.3
North River at Shikung	+18.8	-2.7	10.9	9.3

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literary technique but to the royal ignorance of spelling.

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And Burke? He lived on till Tory blood flowed through his hardening arteries, he lived to fight as obstinately for war against liberty in France as ever North had fought against freedom in America. He lived to number George III. among the warmest of his admirers and to decline from him the title of Lord Beaconsfield.

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## CHAPTER XXXV

Violet Mersey was weeding her rosebed when she saw Michael ride by. It was the first time she had caught a glimpse of him since his accident, and since Katharine's amazing disclosure. Katharine had been gone two days now. Stanley Mersey was taking steps toward the end of the girl was now so anxious to attain the annulment of that astonishing marriage ceremony a few weeks before.

"The man must be a most horrible villain," Violet said to herself, prodding at the earth about the roots of a Dorothy Perkins. "And yet—he doesn't look like one in the least." She was rather ashamed of her earlier enthusiasm for Michael.

The whole thing was definitely queer. First the boy had engaged himself to Sally Moon. That made him appear a fortune hunter. Then he had run off with Katharine on what seemed now a most cruel impulse, only to behave as though the whole thing had never happened at all.

Violet stood up, brushing her earth-stained hands impatiently together. She ought to go to see him, ought to find out how he stood in the matter before Stan turned the affair over to Adrian, their discreet lawyer friend.

She washed her hands at the sink in the gleaming small kitchen and called to Lavinia who was on the porch, shelling peas for the children's lunch, that she was going to walk up the road a bit. Michael's horse had been headed in the direction of the riding club. And he had been alone. It would be a good time to talk to him.

As Violet Mersey turned into the lane that ran beside the old shingled house she could see the tall figure of the man she sought, standing in the doorway of the stable. A blue September haze hung over everything. Yellow leaves here and there drifted down on the muddy path. There were wild asters and golden rods blazing in the meadow. Sumach made a scarlet tapestry on the hills.

"Good morning!" Michael whirled, his eyes clouded, his muscles taut. "Good morning," he said without smiling. These days the difficult ones to be got through. Strange people were always coming up to him and being brisk and hearty. He had to fend them off as best he could.

Something in the wariness of his attitude put Violet off. All at once she was conscious that he seemed lacking dignity. It was not for her to meddle in Katharine's affairs. She said rather lamely, "About the horses—for the little girl. She hasn't been riding lately."

Michael bowed. His tone was formal, aloof. "Do you mind seeing Jerry, my assistant, about that? I haven't been well lately." He passed his hand over his eyes and, with another stiff little bow, went into the house.

Jerry was at her elbow. Somehow Violet managed to say something

coherent to him, to walk away. But her brain was whirling. "Good heavens!" she cried to herself. "What if that should be the explanation of it all? What if he doesn't really know what happened?"

You heard of such things. To the healthy person such a possibility seemed extremely far-fetched. But Violet knew it was not out of the bounds of reason.

He had been struck on the head, perhaps. The newspaper account had said "multiple bruises." Who could tell what damage had been done? She walked swiftly toward her own house, eager to put through a telephone call to her husband.

"Stan, have you got in touch with Adrian yet?" His slow, reassuring voice answered her. "Have an appointment with him? Why? Anything happen?"

She dared not talk over the telephone. Everyone said the exchange operators listened. "Can you postpone it?" she asked. "I think I've hit on something. It may be a hunch. I don't know."

"I don't understand why you want me to do it so quietly," pouted Sally Moon. "Old Ruthie" down at the Innlock News has been calling up every day to see if I've any date to give her. She's anxious to run the story of the wedding, but she doesn't dare say a word about it as long as I tell her to hold off. And probably everyone's talking about me. Probably they say the thing's off."

"I have my reasons," Mr. Moon said solemnly. If Sally were not his daughter, he would be able to figure out the problem for herself. He wanted all the votes he could get for village trustee and the election was next week. With a big wedding going on and Sally insisting on getting all the local tradesmen (who were sure to be antagonized), the election would be certain to go against him. He knew Innlock. He hadn't been president of the bank for 20 years without learning a good deal about the way the minds of the villagers worked.

He had several reasons for not telling Sally this. The first was that she would not consider the argument weighty enough. She had her own way of over-riding all his objections. The second was that if he told her, she would be sure to get into a row with her mother. She was inclined to be a bit mysterious herself. "Sneaky," Mr. Moon called it. Like her mother's people. None of the Moons had been open and above-board since he was a boy.

Still, a man had to protect his interests against the depredations of his womenfolk. Women had no consciences whatever when they wanted their own way. He wouldn't be sorry to see Sally married. She'd been a bit of a problem since her mother died. Cocktails, flirtations, all kinds of craziness, her father told himself. This young fellow was good with her. Maybe he'd hold the whip hand over Sally as well. He chuckled at the thought.

"What are you chortling about?" Sally wanted to know rather angrily. Really her father was being too stuffy about this. It made her tired. But since he held the purse strings there was no fighting him. And she wanted a trousseau that would put everyone's eye out.

"Nothing." He changed the subject hastily. "You going into town to-day to shop?"

That was always a good way to divert her. Her black eyes sparkled at the thought of trying on clothes, of watching mannequins parade (because this time she was going to the really expensive places and have the very best), and of choosing hats and shoes and costly stockings to supplement those already piled in boxes and bags in her room. Whatever you might say about Daddy Moon, Sally reflected, you couldn't accuse him of being stingy.

She had read in last night's newspaper of Katharine Birkhurst's departure for the west. And she had felt a tiny prick of relief. While Katharine had been around Sally hadn't felt entirely easy about Michael. He had been restive at times. Sally had suspected in the beginning that he was attracted to Katharine, although why anyone would prefer that cool young woman to her own rather buxom self, Sally could not imagine.

Well, Michael was more tractable since he'd been ill. He really seemed to depend on her these days. She teased him around as she hadn't dared to do before. Her cousin, Annabel, was coming on from Syracuse for the wedding. And Michael had been so vague about providing a best man that Sally had wired Annabel to bring her fiancé (expenses paid) to serve. Annabel's young man was a fledgling mining engineer with a brand new diploma. Sally, marrying a title, felt very superior.

Well, Annabel and Joseph would arrive on Tuesday, and they would have a rehearsal Tuesday night. Daddy Moon had agreed to that. The wedding would be on Wednesday, and invitations would go out by hand the day before. It was, Sally told herself, a pretty queer way to do things, but her father had some crazy notion in his mind. It didn't do to argue with him when he was like this.

She longed to shut the news from the house. But she didn't dare. Well, all the old cats who had been so nasty to her would know soon enough. Let them gnash their teeth then. See how they liked it.

She'd snub them if she ever met them on the street. Another thing she had to do to-day. She had to stop at Tiffany's and choose a platinum band that Michael could pay for later. He didn't want to go into the city, he said. She was having to arrange everything. She had even sent out a tailor who was to measure him for correct morning clothes.

She'd thought of everything. There couldn't possibly be a hitch in the proceedings now. A week from Wednesday she would be Lady Carden.

(To Be Continued.)

## CINEMA NEWS

## NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

The new programme headliner at the Queen's Theatre starting to-day is Columbia's "Blind Date", an exhilarating human comedy romance featuring Ann Sothern with Neil Hamilton and Paul Kelly as her two swains. Adapted to the screen by Ethel Hill and directed by Roy Wm. Neill, the film relates the sad, sad tale of a young automobile mechanic so engrossed in feathering the nest of his home-to-be that he allows the bird to fly. The direction of the bird is the arms of a wealthy playboy whose complications of a "blind date" between a handsome set in but are ultimately solved to the satisfaction of all concerned. The beautiful Ann Sothern is seen as the romantic "Kitty Taylor". Sothern will remember her in "Melody in Fingert", "The Hot Cat" and "The Party's Over". Neil Hamilton smacks the "blind date" while Paul Kelly portrays the simple, hard-headed mechanic boy-friend. Others in the cast include Mickey Rooney, Spencer Charters, Jane Darwell, Geneva Mitchell and Tyler Brooke.

## "The Good Fairy"

Hans Joby, Hungarian and former major in the Austro-Hungarian Army, acted as technical director on the production of "The Good Fairy", which is now at the King's Theatre with Margaret Sullivan and all Central European countries and was formerly technical director for British International Pictures in London and the famous UFA company in Berlin. The cast supporting Miss Sullivan and Margaret Sullivan includes Frank Morgan, Reginald Owen, Alan Hale, Cesar Romero and June Clayworth. Adapted from the stage play by Ferenc Molnar, the picture was directed by William Wyler.

## "Charlie Chan in Paris"

Hailed as the most engrossing and ingenious to date of the famous "Charlie Chan" films, the latest of the series, "Charlie Chan in Paris", once

more starring Warner Oland will be seen at the Oriental Theatre on Friday and Saturday. Arriving in Paris, Charlie Chan is plunged into the dangerous shadows of the most baffling mystery he has ever encountered. The French authorities are frustrated. No one but Charlie is able to find the trail. In the course of his investigation, a beautiful Apache dancer is knifed to death and another lovely girl, an heiress, is charged with still another murder. But in the end Chan proves her innocence. For the film has surrounded Oland with a cast of unusual range and talent in this latest of his "Chan" stories. Fox "discovery", recently brought to Hollywood from the Broadway stage, is seen opposite her. Other players assigned to important roles are Thomas Beck, Erik Rhodes, Minor Watson, John Miljan, Murray Kinnell, John Qualen, Dorothy Appleby, Keye Luke, Henry Kolker and Perry Ivins.

## "Sorrell and Son"

"Sorrell and Son," a talkie version of Warwick Deering's famous novel, is the main attraction at the Star Theatre to-day. British and Dominion are confident that this picture will be greeted as one of the most moving human dramas ever made. Jack Raymond, in his first "straight" talkie subject, the story of "Say It With Music," which was a novelty picture, has demonstrated that he is second to none in this province—and the last reels of the picture, Herbert Wilcox claims, are almost overwhelming in their sustained emotion yet they have been handled with such restraint by Jack Raymond that they never touch sentimentality. Hugh Williams should be watched in this picture. He is said to put up his greatest performance to date as the younger Sorrell; nothing, it is claimed, could more vividly justify the Hollywood contract which he has accepted. Donald Calhoun is also prominent as Dr. Orange, and Winifred Shotter and Margot Grahame have important parts.

## "We Live Again"

Two features of special interest to music lovers in Samuel Goldwyn's "We Live Again", adapted from Leo Tolstoy's "Resurrection", are the Russian A Capella Choir which supplies a musical background for the beautiful and impressive Russian Easter Midnight Service; and the colorful gypsy chorus led by Nina Kucheta, famous opera star, and Khmara, the world's foremost interpreter and exponent of gypsy songs and music. Anna Sten and Freddie March are the only professional actors

## RUBINSTEIN CONCERT

## TO-NIGHT'S RECITAL AT HONGKONG HOTEL

Owing to the phenomenal success of Arthur Rubinstein's second piano recital on Monday evening, when the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden was crowded to capacity and many people were unable to gain admittance, this artist is giving a third concert this evening in the same hall at 9.30 p.m. This is positively his last appearance, as he sails for Shanghai tomorrow.

For his last recital, Rubinstein has chosen a different type of programme. The first half consists of Bach's Chaconne, and one of Chopin's greatest works, the B flat Minor Sonata, with the Funeral March as third movement. The second half is devoted to modern pieces, by Debussy, Ravel, Scriabin, Prokofiev, Poulenc, Villa-Lobos and da Folia.

Judging by the enthusiasm shown on Monday, his third concert will be another event to be remembered in the Colony.

who participate in the Easter Service, which is chanted entirely without instrumental accompaniment by voices to whom the ritual is an inborn tradition. Led by a picked group of sixteen men and twelve women, the celebrants, all gathered from the Russian colonies which dot the Pacific Coast, joined in creating a high point of religious song with their rendition of the Easter anthem, "Christos Voscras," or "Christ is Risen." The gypsy chorus ensemble referred to provides the entertainment at an officers' dinner, presided over by March in the role of the reckless Prince Dmitri. Alfred Newman, musical director for Samuel Goldwyn, was largely responsible for the beauty and effectiveness of both scenes as finally incorporated into the picture, which comes to the King's Theatre on Friday. "We Live Again" was directed by Ronben Mamoulian from a script by Preston Sturges, Leonard Praskins and Maxwell Anderson, for release through United Artists.

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WHIST AND TOMBOLA THE R. E. OLD COMRADES HOLD FUNCTION. Another very successful whist drive and tombola was held in the open air at Wellington Barracks on Monday evening last, by the Royal Engineers Old Comrades Association. Twenty-seven tables were occupied by very enthusiastic supporters of the Branch, thus ensuring a completely successful and happy evening's entertainment. During the interval, when light refreshments were also served, the prizes, eight in all, were very kindly presented by Mrs. R. Chapman, to whom a hearty vote of thanks was given. A humorous incident occurred when Mrs. Chapman presented herself with a prize, having been a winner at whist. After the whist, practically everyone remained for the tombola which followed. In spite of the fact that the Association has only just been reconstituted in the Colony, the success of these entertainments, the whole idea of which is to foster esprit-de-corps between serving and ex-serving members of the Royal Engineers in Hongkong, of whom there are some 400, shows that the spirit of comradeship of the Corps is still very much alive here, and to further it, the Committee hopes that every one who has an interest in the Royal Engineers and social life of the Colony will support them at their social functions to be held from time to time. The next whist drive and tombola will be held in Wellington Barracks, in the open, on Monday August 12, commencing at 8.30 p.m.; it will be held in the Sappers' Dining Room.

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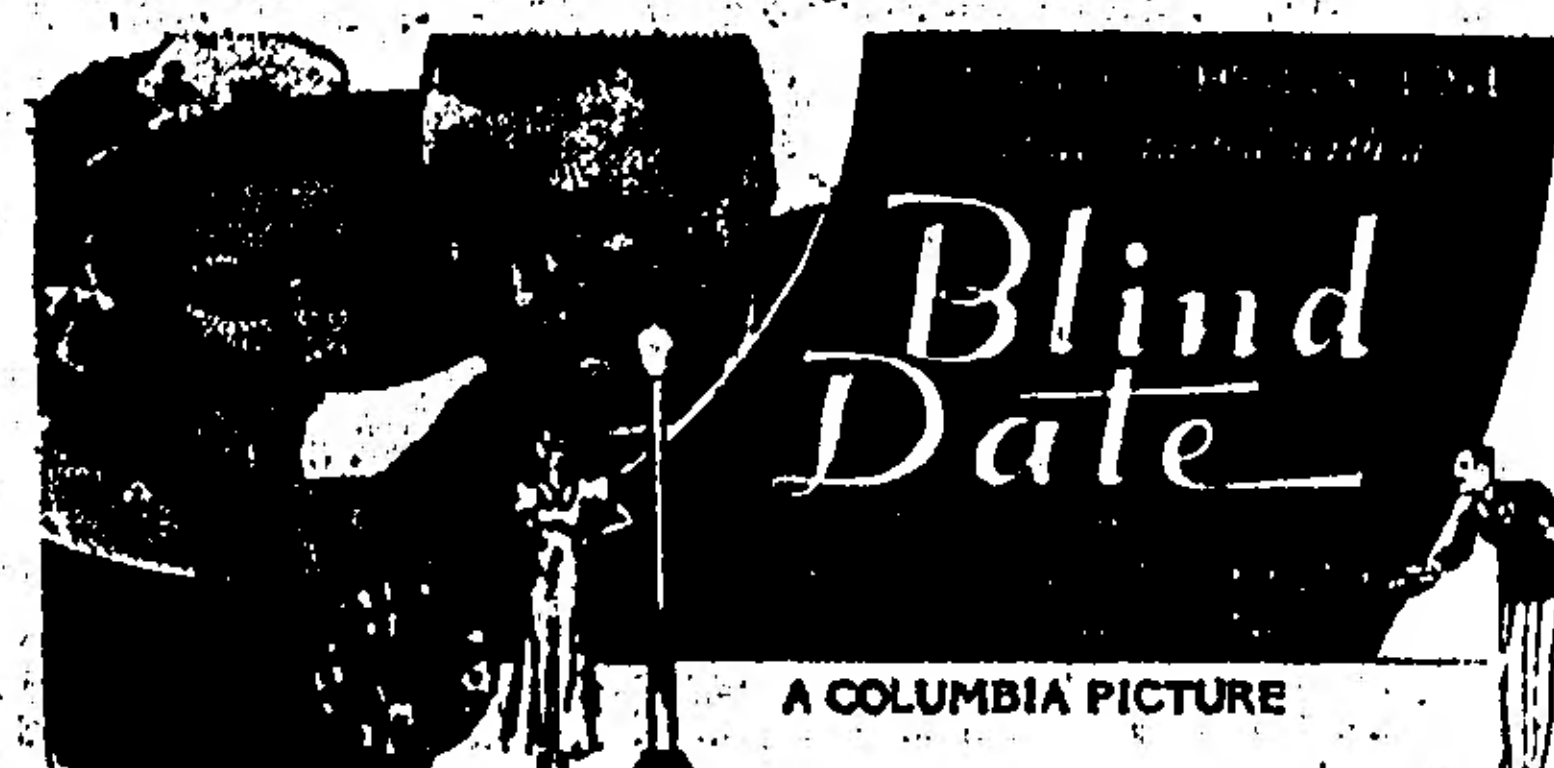
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## COUNTERFEIT COIN

### FOUR MEN CHARGED AT SESSIONS

Charges of counterfeiting and possession of implements for counterfeiting coins were preferred against four Chinese before the Fulmer Judge, Mr. Justice Lindell, at the Criminal Sessions this morning.

The defendants were Yeung Ping, alias Yeung Hon-kee, Tsang Ming, alias Tsang Hop-wing, Wan Cheung and Tsau Chuen, and they were charged with (a) counterfeiting 15 Hongkong silver dollars and 18 ten-cent pieces; (b) possession of moulds for coining; and (c) possession of counterfeit coins.

Mr. J. A. Fraser, assistant Attorney-General, instructed by Mr. W. J. Lockhart-Smith, assistant Crown Solicitor, appeared for the prosecution, and the accused, who pleaded "Not Guilty", were not legally represented.

The jurors empanelled were: E.O.A. Proulx (foreman), Chan See-ming, Sun Him-lai, R.G. Griggs, F.M.X. de Souza, E.O.P. Hyndman and Pau Man-lok.

Outlining the facts of the case, Mr. Fraser informed the jury that the charge against the accused was coining, but the Crown laid no particular stress on the guilt on any accused. They were all charged with the same offence.

#### POLICE RAID

On the afternoon of May 20, Inspector Cunningham, Sergeant Goodwin and a party of Chinese detectives went to No. 10 Takuling Road, second floor, in consequence of information received. One of the Chinese officers, Lam Chi-ming, went up to the floor alone, while the others waited on the first floor landing. Lam knocked and he was admitted on the pretext of seeing the first accused. As he was being admitted, a noise was heard as if a door inside the floor was being closed. The detective entered, followed closely by the other police officers.

Five men, including the four accused, were found on the premises. The first accused was seen squatting down in the middle of the front cubicle facing a chatty and holding a ladle over it. The second accused was squatting down on the other side of the chatty holding a pair of chopsticks and a tablecloth. The third defendant was on the left of the first accused, holding a pair of scissors on the right hand and a counter-fait dollar on the left. It was apparent that he was cutting off the edges of the dollar with the scissors. The fourth accused was beside the third defendant and he was seen to pick up another of the counterfeit dollars from a piece of glass and place it on a mat.

The Chinese detective, Lam Chi-ming, arrested the second accused, while the other three were caught by other police officers just as they were running out from the cubicle.

#### THE EQUIPMENT

Mr. Fraser then went on to describe the paraphernalia found on the premises, and said that in the trousers of the first defendant were found two genuine ten-cent pieces and a knife with plaster of Paris in it. A genuine silver dollar was also found in his wallet.

After his arrest, the first accused gave the police certain information in consequence of which a visit was paid to a house at Ng Yiu Tau village and there were found a number of broken plaster of Paris moulds, three pieces of antimony sulphite ore and two pieces of glass.

As the result of another statement made by the first accused, and it was actually pointed out by the second defendant, the police went to No. 30 Po Kong Road, first floor, and found a bottle of sodium cyanide and an empty bottle which had contained nitric acid.

When the four accused were charged, only one of them made an incriminating statement and that was the first defendant who said: "It was a momentary mistake. I don't know it was against the law. Take pity on my wife and children and deal with me leniently."

Continuing, Mr. Fraser said the second accused was represented by counsel at the Magistrate's court and it appeared to him that the defence was that one of the police officers who took part in the raid was telling lies and that the case was a frame-up by the fifth man found on the premises but who was not charged.

#### CAUGHT RED-HANDED

The case for the Crown was that the four accused were caught red-handed in the act of coining.

Mr. C. A. Grimes, of the P.W.D., was then called and he testified to having drawn plans of the second floor of No. 10 Takuling Road.

Mr. Arthur Jackson, acting Government Analyst, deposed to having received 14 parcels from Inspector Cunningham. One of the parcels contained seven plaster of Paris moulds, three of them had impressions of 1900 Hongkong silver dollars, two had 1889 ten-

## "Glorious Goodwood"

### BIG HOLIDAY CROWD ATTENDS

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, July 30.  
To-day is the beginning of "Glorious Goodwood," which marks the end of the London season.

A large holiday crowd was present on the course, many coming by motor coaches from seaside resorts. The beautiful scenery in and around Goodwood was seen at its best, for the weather was fine and sunny.

Lady Ludlow's Green Oar (7-1) won the Steward's Cup, Captain Field's Almond Hill (100-8) was second, and Sir Victor Sassoon's Cora Deans (100-7) third.

Sammy Wragg rode the winner, this being a lucky last-minute change, as Weston had previously been engaged to ride Green Oar. The winner's time of one minute, twelve seconds, was a record for the course of six furlongs.

The Aga Khan's Mahmoud, one of the most promising two-year-olds, won the Richmond Stakes of six furlongs at 2 to 1. Reuter Special.

## FALSE PRETENCES

### UNEMPLOYED MAN OFFERS JOBS

Charged before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy this morning on counts of using false pretences to obtain the sum of \$6 from Fung Yuen, aged 28, a bean curd maker, by purporting that he could obtain employment for complainant, when in fact he was not in a position to do so, and of using false pretences to obtain the sum of \$2.80 from Cheng Man, aged 48, also a bean curd maker, by purporting that he could obtain employment for complainant when he was not in a position to do so, a 20-year-old man, Tong Kwok-lam, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour on each charge, the terms to run consecutively. Both complainants live at 10, Wai Tak Lane.

Prosecuting, Det. Sgt. Fowle stated that defendant and complainants are clansmen. The complainant had been telling defendant that they needed employment, and defendant promised to get them jobs as bricklayers with the Lee Cheung firm of contractors, of China Building, if they paid him certain sums of money.

On July 25, second complainant gave defendant \$1, and on July 26, gave him another \$1.80. First complainant gave defendant \$3 on both occasions. Time passed, and as the jobs were not forthcoming, they handed defendant over to the police. Defendant was unemployed, and in no position to obtain employment for other people.

#### LAND DIVIDEND

The Board of Directors of the Hongkong Land Investment Co., Ltd., have declared an interim dividend of one dollar per share for the six months ended June 30, 1935.

cent piece impressions, and two had impressions of 1898 ten cent pieces. The ten-cent moulds were ready wrapped for moulding.

Among the other parcels, there was a ladle containing some metal, the composition of which was 95 per cent tin, four per cent antimony and one per cent lead. There were also three pieces of antimony sulphite ore, and three strips of zinc which had obviously been used for shaping the outside of the moulds.

There were 15 counterfeit Hongkong silver dollars dated 1930. Their composition was 94.9 per cent tin, 4.4 per cent antimony and 0.7 per cent lead. Another parcel contained 48 counterfeit ten-cent pieces. Seventeen of them were dated 1898 and the rest 1899. Their composition was 95.8 per cent tin, 3.9 per cent lead. In a separate parcel there was a genuine Hongkong silver dollar and two ten-cent pieces, one dated 1899 and the other 1898.

There were also a number of bottles and a wooden tub, which contained plaster of Paris, sodium cyanide, peanut oil, concentrated nitric acid, spirit varnish and water.

#### POLICE EVIDENCE

Lam Chi-ming, Ho Sang and Lau Chi, three Chinese detectives, gave evidence that they took part in the raid and found the accused in the premises.

Detective Sergeant C. H. Goodwin testified to finding the articles in the premises and added that when the police officers rushed up the stairs they were on tip-toe. Their shoes did not creak and the reason for making as little noise as possible was to surprise the occupants of the floor.

The case is proceeding.

## AMERICA'S SYMPATHY

### RELIGIOUS FREEDOM FIRST PRINCIPLE

Washington, July 30.  
American sympathy towards the exercise of religious freedom and liberty of conscience in all countries is expressed by Mr. William Phillips, Under-Secretary for State, in a letter to Jewish organizations which recently protested to the State Department against alleged anti-Jewish persecutions in Germany.

The letter says that concepts of religious freedom and liberty of conscience for all constitute the most fundamental principles of our civilisation and political faith, adding that the American people are always sympathetic to the maintenance of those concepts in the United States as well as in other nations.—Reuter.

### RECEIPTS LACK STAMPS

#### FURTHER TREASURY PROSECUTIONS

In a Treasury prosecution before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning, Chin Sik-chor, of E. Hing and Coy., 25 Wing Wo Street, was fined \$5 on a summons for having an improperly stamped receipt for \$73.62, received from Singon and Company, 97 Hing Lung Street, on June 15 last year.

On summonses for splitting accounts of \$23.78 and \$31.78, Man Sang Cheong, of 126 Second Street, was fined a total of \$20.

On the application of Sergeant J. G. Whitcroft, who appeared for the prosecution, a summons against Tin Hing-wing, of the Wing Kee firm, 9 Wing Fung Street, for having an unstamped receipt for \$22.40, received from Man Tak, 42 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, was withdrawn.

## CATTLE STEALING

### FARMER AND DEALER SENTENCED

The theft of three oxen from villagers on Lantau Island on July 10 had a sequel before Mr. Kennedy Skipton at the District Office South yesterday, when Chan Kwong, 24, farmer, of Mu Wo village, was fined a total of \$750, or four months' hard labour, in default, on three charges of theft, while Chan Yun, 45, cattle dealer of Castle Peak, was fined \$150, or three months, on a charge of receiving.

Sergeant L. J. Wagland, for the prosecution, stated that the first defendant, Chan Kwong, and two others who were not in custody, hired a junk and went from Castle Peak to Lantau Island, where they stole the oxen from different pens. They returned to Castle Peak where they were met by Chan Yun who took the cattle to Matakok in an attempt to sell them to another dealer.

## NEW WEAPON OF WAR

### LEWIS GUNS WILL BE DISPLACED

London, July 30.  
In the House of Commons, Captain Douglas Haacking, Parliamentary Secretary for War, announced that as the result of a trial extending over several years, the War Office has decided to adopt the Czechoslovakian light machine-gun, which will be known as the Vreude gun, instead of the Lewis gun.

Accordingly, an agreement has been made to use the patent for the manufacture of such machine-guns in Britain.

Captain Haacking added that the Army would continue to use the Vickers heavy machine-guns.—Reuter.

### MORE THEFTS REPORTED

#### TWO EUROPEANS VICTIMISED

The theft of a quantity of motor tools, valued at \$15, from his car which was parked in Hospital Road, outside the Government Civil Hospital, has been reported to the police by Mr. E. S. C. Brooks, of Hastings and Company.

In a report made to the police, Mrs. Silstone of 118 Boundary Street, Kowloon Tong, stated that between 7 and 8 p.m. on Monday, some person stole a silver rose bowl valued at \$40.

Mr. A. C. Jeffreys, of the Hongkong Telephone Company, has notified the police of the theft of about 7 lbs. of telephone wire connections between houses in Argyle Street between midnight and 8 o'clock this morning.

## ORIENTAL

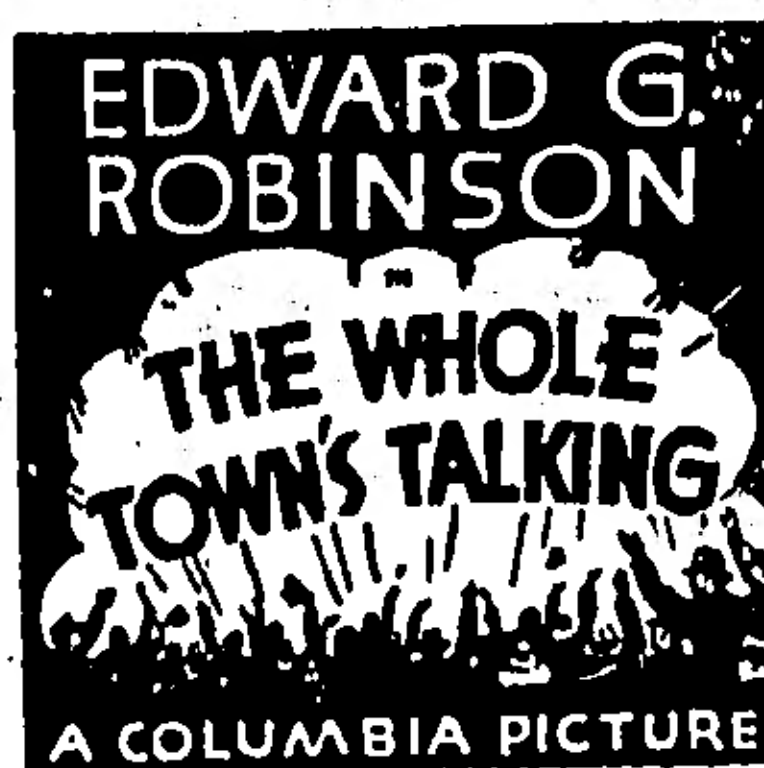
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## ARSON TRIAL ENDS

### TWO ACCUSED SENTENCED

Sentences of three years and seven years' hard labour respectively were passed by the Fulmer Judge, Mr. Justice K. E. Lindell at the Criminal Sessions yesterday on Ng Yuk-chuen, and his uncle, Ng Keng-chiu who were charged with arson in connection with the fire which broke out at 104 Fuk Wah Street, Shamshuipo in the early hours of May 24.

The first accused was charged with arson with intent to defraud and the second defendant with being an accessory before the fact.

A recommendation to mercy was made by the jury in the case of the first accused, and he was sentenced to three years instead of five which His Lordship said he intended to pass.

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